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REGULAR MEETING OF YOUR ELECTED OFFICIALS . . .

Board of Selectmen

Selectmen's Room, Town Hall
Thursday evenings at 8:00 o'clock

Board of Assessors

Assessor's Office, Town Hall
Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock

School Committee

Plimpton School
1st Monday of each month at 7:45 P. M.

Town Planning Board

Selectmen's Office, Town Hall
3rd Wednesday of the month at 8:00 P. M.

Inspector of Buildings

Assessor's Office, Town Hall
Wednesdays 7:30 to 9:30 P. M.

Board of Public Welfare

Bureau of Old Age Assistance

Welfare Office, Town Hall
Wednesday evenings at 7:00 o'clock

WALPOLE

(Norfolk County)

19 miles south of Boston 26 miles north of Providence

On Routes 1 and 1A

Second Largest Industrial Town in the Commonwealth

Municipally Owned Water Plant and Sewer System

Elevation—200 feet above sea level
Settled—1680
Incorporated as a Town—1724
Population—8,409
Registered Voters—4,320
Valuation—$13,658,546 (Excluding Motor Vehicles)
Tax Rate—1946—$28.00; 1945—$25.60; 1944—$23.60

Motor Vehicles Registered—2,895
Number of Houses—1,795
Water Average Daily Consumption—1,343,205 gallons
Parks—Memorial Park and Francis William Park
Schools—6 (Class A rating)

PRINCIPAL INDUSTRIES

Roofing and Building Papers
Paper Boxes
Special Papers
Floor Coverings
Hospital Supplies
Coating Plant
Cotton Converters
Cotton Goods and Specialties
Trailers
Cedar Fences & Furniture
Sectional Buildings
Printing
Special Machinery Foundry

Congressional District—14*th*
(Hon. Joseph W. Martin, Jr., Congressman)
Senatorial District (State) Second Norfolk
(Mason Sears, Senator, Dedham)
Representative District (State) — *8th Norfolk*
(Frank D. McCarthy, Medfield, Representative)
Councillor District—Second
(Clayton L. Havey, Councilor)
County Seat—Norfolk County, Dedham
County Commissioners—Frederick A. Leavitt, Chair.
Edward W. Hunt
Russell T. Bates
County Treasurer—Ralph D. Pettingell
County Engineer—Wallace S. Carson

The Norfolk County Agricultural School is Located in Walpole

(Charles W. Kemp, Director)

ELECTED TOWN OFFICERS . . .

1946

MODERATOR
Henry W. Caldwell

SELECTMEN
Willis D. McLean, Chairman
Royal A. Jones, Clerk
Albert W. Smith
Clinton F. Shufelt
John H. White

TOWN TREASURER
Herbert W. Lewis

TAX COLLECTOR
James H. Ginley

ASSESSORS

Term expires 1947
Paul Klingbeil

Term expires 1948
Thomas B. Ahearn

Term expires 1949
Fred J. Tetreault

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Term expires 1947
James Buffington, Jr.
James W. Riordan

Term expires 1948
Walter I. Barnes
(Mrs.) Mary L. Wright

Term expires 1949
Ernest Coleman
Edward V. Holmes

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

Term expires 1947
(Mrs.) Dorothy W. Spear
Harold S. Lines

Term expires 1948
Chester H. Andrews
Wayland A. DuBois

Term expires 1949
(Mrs.) Caroline Roundy
(Mrs.) Eleanor Harding

TOWN PLANNING BOARD

Term expires 1947
Dr. T. M. Connell

Term expires 1948
Charles S. Bird

Term expires 1949
Willis D. McLean

Term expires 1950
William J. Sheehan

Term expires 1951
John J. Fitzhenry

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

Term expires 1947
Axel H. Anderson

Term expires 1948
Benjamin D. Rogers

Term exipres 1949
James A. Valentine

APPOINTED TOWN OFFICERS . . .

TOWN ACCOUNTANT AND TOWN CLERK
Katherine J. Higgins

ASSISTANT TOWN CLERK
Virginia Flynn

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

Term expires 1947	Term expires 1948	Term expires 1949
Frank F. Kivlin	Patrick J. Cullen	J. Merrick Gray
	Arthur L. Laliberty	

TOWN COUNSEL
Richard H. Kannally

TOWN ENGINEER
SUPT. OF SEWERS
PURCHASING AGENT
Frederick F. Libby

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS
Dr. F. X. Maguire

PLUMBING INSPECTORS
Edward F. Onion
H. A. Shannon

VETERAN'S REHABILITATION OFFICER
Arthur L. Laliberty

DOG OFFICER
LOCK-UP KEEPER
Levi S. Thompson

MILK INSPECTOR
Willis H. Hoyt

HEALTH OFFICER
Dr. F. H. Fuller

LIBRARIANS
Eunice Crissey (Center)
Ann Wilson (E. Walpole)
Hannah Hatfield
Children's Librarian

FIRE DEPARTMENT
Chester L. Donnell, Chief
The Chief of the Fire Department is also Town Electrician, Wire Inspector, Supt. of Fire Alarm, Forest Fire Warden and Petroleum Inspector

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
Arthur C. Jones

INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS
Fred J. Tetreault

DEPUTY INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS
Allen C. Jones

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE
Timothy E. Delaney, Chairman
Harold E. Towne, Clerk and Agent
Bernice D. Shannon, Investigator

BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE
Timothy E. Delaney, Chairman
Harold E. Towne, Clerk and Agent
Mabel H. Hart
Bernice D. Shannon, Investigator

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES
William F. Smith

BURIAL AGENT
Carlton Engley

CARETAKER OF SOLDIERS' GRAVES
Carl Thomas

PUBLIC WEIGHERS AND WEIGHERS OF COAL

J. Francis Gilmore	David Fisher	Sadie Adams
Thomas Breen	Thomas E. Brady, Jr.	William H. Brady
	Harold E. Forand	

FENCE VIEWERS

Guy Silvi	Leonard Bartlett	John J. Easton

APPROPRIATION COMMITTEE

Term expires 1947	Term expires 1948	Term expires 1949
Harold S. Austin	George Sherrerd, Jr.	John A. Timmins
P. Bernard Spillane	Geoffrey E. Plunkett	Philip R. Pearson
Raymond F. White	William F. Murphy	Ellis H. Bacon
Walter J. Muldoon	George W. Corbett	Stephen Giandomenico
Parker N. Chick	Edgar M. Grout	Arthur Hill

RECREATION COMMISSION
Roger F. Turner, Chairman

Charles E. Holt	James A. Kirk	Elmore Ashman

POLICE DEPARTMENT
Levi S. Thompson, Chief

Sergeants

Timothy A. Cullinane — Michael J. Fitzgibbons

Patrolmen	Constables
Wallace R. Duncan	Levi S. Thompson
Patrick J. Egan	James Daggett
Stephen A. Conroy	Thomas B. Ahearn
Harold E. Higgins	Thomas Rice
Leo Delaney	Timothy A. Cullinane
John J. Buckley	Michael J. Fitzgibbons
William J. Brennan	
Joseph J. Burke	

SCHOOL OFFICERS

George Hubbard	Chester Milliken

SPECIAL POLICE OFFICERS (Restricted)
Adam Bock, Town Forest
F. F. Libby, Pumping Station
Chester L. Donnell, Forest Warden
Walter F. Meyer, Public Buildings

ELECTION OFFICERS

Precinct 1.

Chester B. Gove, Warden
George H. Ryan, Deputy Warden
Frank H. Spear, Deputy Clerk
Peter Becker, Inspector
H. M. Watson, Deputy Inspector
George Hubbard, Inspector
Walter Rockwood, Inspector
Jeremiah Delaney, Deputy Inspector
Walter Angus, Deputy Inspector
Frank Kivlin, Inspector
George Corbett, Inspector
Chester Keenan, Inspector
Daniel Giandomenico
William E. Smith
Charles R. Peters
Vincent Fitzpatrick
Bruce Farrar
P. Bernard Spillane

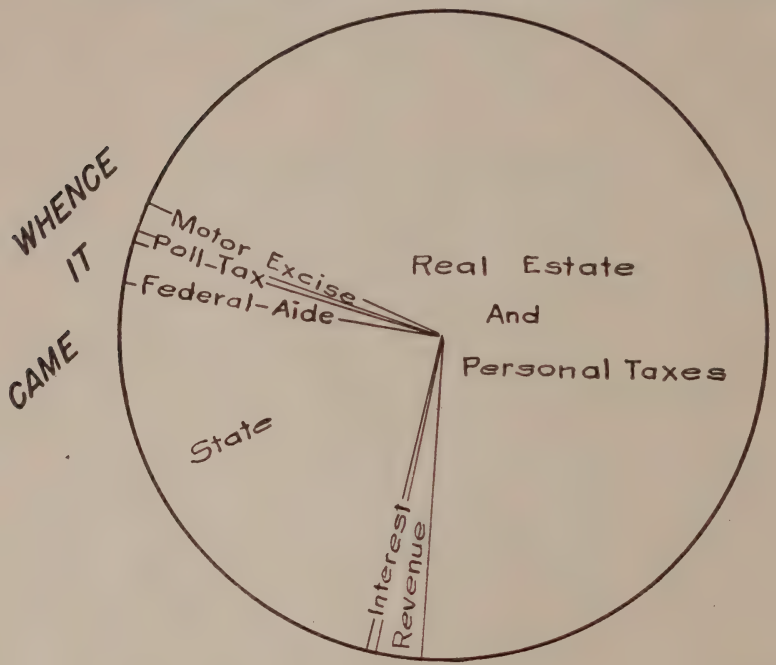
Precinct 2.

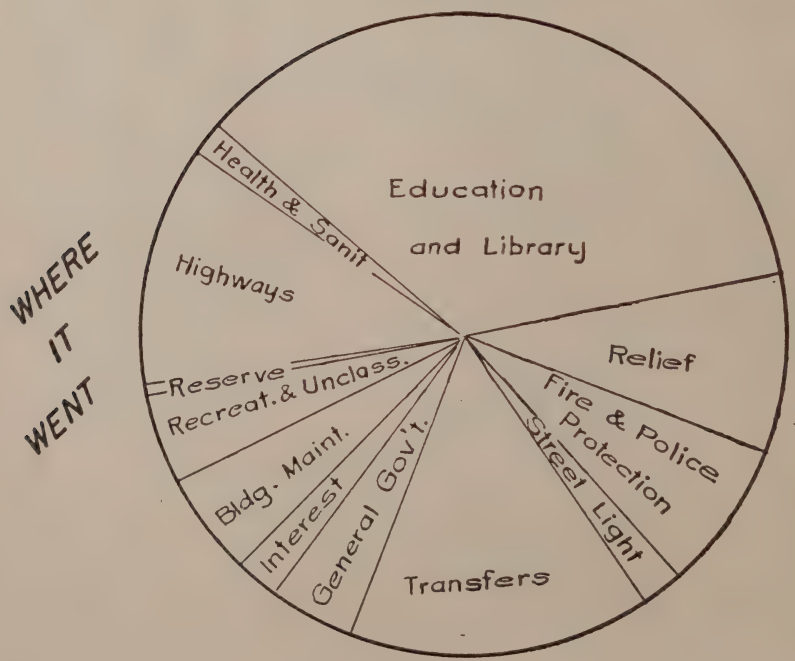
William F. Geary, Warden
Frederick J. Kinsman
George Murray
Albert Eckert
John King
Arthur F. Platt
F. Howard White
Richard Sprague

Precinct 3.

Ellis Bacon
R. J. Quinn
Ralph E. Boyden
Francis Donovan

YOUR 1946 TOWN GOVERNMENT DOLLAR

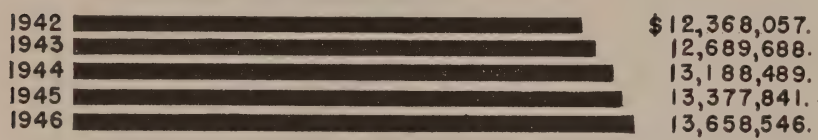




TAX RATE

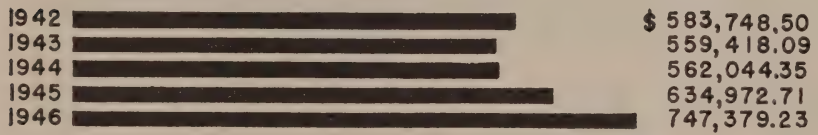
ASSESSED VALUATION

(EXCLUDING MOTOR VEHICLES)



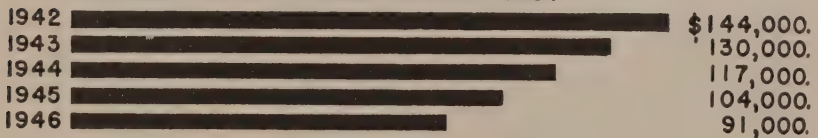
TAX LEVY

(APPROPRIATIONS)



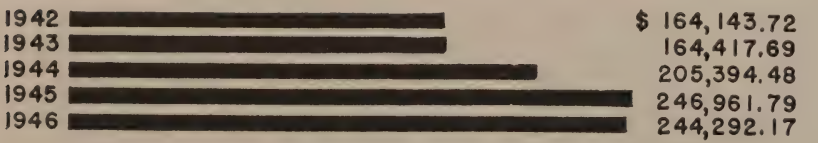
TOWN DEBT

(INCLUDING WATER DEPARTMENT —
EXCLUDING SHORT TERM BORROWINGS)



EXCESS AND DEFICIENCY

(SURPLUS ACCOUNT)



BOARD OF SELECTMEN AND SEWER COMMISSIONERS . . .

Organization—The Selectmen and Sewer Commissioners organized on January 21, 1946 as follows: Willis D. McLean, Chairman; Royal A. Jones, Clerk; Albert W. Smith, Clinton F. Shufelt and John H. White. During the year forty-three regular meetings were held and twelve special meetings were held.

Finances—At the close of the year bonded debt is $104,100.00, an increase of $100 over last year. During the year $13,000 was paid on outstanding debt, $7,000 was borrowed at the rate of 1½% for a term of seven years for sewer and street construction on School and Maple Streets; also, $6,100.00 was borrowed at the rate of 1½% for a term of five years for sewer and street construction on Hanson Avenue and Wedgemere Court. Cash on hand is $396,690.90. The Excess and Deficiency Account is $244,292.17, an increase of $266.96 over last year.

Reserve Fund—Transfers from this fund, as authorized by the Appropriation Committee were as follows:

Care of Soldiers' Graves	$ 5.00
Accountant's Expenses	20.00
Town Engineer, Administration	22.00
Police, School Traffic	78.00
Traffic Equipment & Repairs	110.00
Police, Expenses	170.70
Appropriation Committee	275.00
Snow Loader	322.93
Workmen's Compensation	496.39
Selectmen's Expenses	610.00
Storm Damage (Emergency)	900.00
Tree Department	1,000.00
School Street, Sewer Construction	2,445.40
Total	$6,455.42

Jury List—The following were drawn as Jurors during the year: Andrew B. Center, Francis X. Ferney, William E. Hale, Arthur P. Hessler, Everett F. Hurd, Sumner A. Jones, Charles J. Lindequist, Arthur Mellin, Matthew S. Naughton, Everett M. Proctor, Clinton F. Shufelt and Roy M. Springer.

JOHN BOCK

Born March 22, 1873
St. John's, Pa.

Died January 25, 1946

Board of Selectmen
1926 - 1930

Sale of Land—By authorization of the Annual Town Meeting, the following property owned by the Town, acquired as a result of the foreclosure of rights of redemption was sold, thereby returning the property to a taxable basis.

Sold to	Amount
Stephen P. Huntress, Lincoln Road	100.00
Francis McDavitt, Washington Street	800.00
Marion Kannally, Carberry Lane	75.00
James McDavitt, Baker Street	75.00
Elizabeth A. Spear, Gill Street	25.00

Board of Appeal—Hearings were held as follows, in accordance with the provisions of the Town Zoning By-Laws and the General Laws:

Date of Hearing	Applicant	Disposition
Jan. 11, 1946	Albert Remivicus, 203 Main Street, permit to enlarge Service Station.	Approved
April 11, 1946	Victoria M. Jarvis, 1066 Main Street, permit to change a two family house into four apartments.	Approved
May 29, 1946	William F. Sheehan, 55 Clark Avenue, permit to change a two family house into a three family house.	Approved
June 18, 1946	Fisher Coal Company, permit to build a Farm Machinery Sales and Service Building.	Approved
Nov. 6, 1946	Angelina Innocenti, 261 Stone Street, permit to change a one family house into a two family house.	Approved
Dec. 18, 1946	John J. Panaro, 34 Massachusetts Avenue, permit to alter an attic into a three room apartment. Temporary permit.	Approved

Board of Survey—The following hearings were held by the Board of Selectmen, acting as the Board of Survey on proposed street layouts:

Date of Hearing	Location	Disposition
July 24, 1946	Gleason Court	Approved
October 26, 1946	Burns Avenue	Approved

Veterans—Arthur L. Laliberty was appointed Director of Veteran's Services effective April 29. This position was created as a result of the acceptance by the Town on February 18, 1946 of Chapter 723 of the Acts of 1945 and provides local veterans with essential services and assistance in securing such Federal and State benefits to which their war service entitles them. The following Advisory Committee was appointed:

Dr. F. J. Allendorf — Samuel Hoffman
Arthur C. Jones — Charles E. Holt
Mrs. Harold S. Lines

A veterans Housing Committee was appointed on August 21, 1946 to expedite the sale of Town lots to veterans and to advise with veterans on housing problems generally.

Personnel Survey—At the adjourned Annual Town Meeting on February 11th, the Town appropriated the sum of $1200. "to retain a qualified professional organization to make a survey evaluating the pay structure and duties of all municipal employees except school teachers." After consultation with the Appropriation Committee, a contract was executed with the Public Administration Service of Chicago to make the survey at a cost of $850. Their report as submitted to the Selectmen accompanies this report.

Building Laws—The Town adopted a new code of Building Laws at the Special Town Meeting on June 3, 1946. These new Building Laws have been printed in booklet form and a copy may be obtained from the Building Inspector.

Permabulation—In accordance with the provisions of the General Laws, members of the Board on November 2 met with the Selectmen of Norwood, Foxborough, Westwood and Dover and on November 9 met with the Selectmen of Sharon and Norfolk and perambulated the town boundaries.

Police—On October 5th Sgt. Timothy A. Cullinane graduated from the F. B. I. National Academy in Washington, D C. The Academy was established in Washington in 1935 to meet the de-

mands of local police organizations for a training program adaptable to the State, county, and local levels. It was modeled after and operates similar to the F. B. I. training program and includes all basic subjects that are given to F. B. I. operatives. These subjects include investigational techniques, laboratory work, fingerprint classification, report writing, maintenance of records, juvenile preventive work, use of all types of firearms, accident investigation, etc. The Academy is making possible a closer cooperation between the police and investigaiton work at the various levels of national, state and local police forces.

Town Report—The Walpole Town Report for 1945 was awarded second prize in the annual Town Report Contest conducted by the Massachusetts Selectmen's Association.

LICENSES GRANTED BY THE SELECTMEN . . .

Amusement

L. E. Picard
James Garland
Al's Lunch, Inc. of Walpole
Brick Tap, Inc.
Julia M. Karol
Alden's Coffee Shop
E. Manucci
Sargent's Cafe, Inc.
Rood's Food, Inc.
Italian American Club
Paul Sansone
East Walpole A. C.
Red Wing Diner & Restaurant
John Spidi

Common Victualler's

Kendall Mills (2)
Walter Nelson, Jr.
Charles Harrington
Rose Petracca
Ronald Urquhart
James Garland
Wellington Pharmacy
Julia M. Karol
Alden's Cofee Shop
Red Wing Diner & Restaurant
Walpole Tap Grille, Inc.
Brick Tap
Sargent's Cafe, Inc.
Rood's Food, Inc.
Italian American Club
John Spidi
East Walpole A. C.
Walter Taylor
Vega's Restaurant
Al's Lunch, Inc.
Murray Gray
Lewis Picard
Joseph Knaus

Pool and Bowling Alley

Ten Pin Inn
East Walpole Bowladrome
George Ryan

Filling Stations

J. E. Leard Co.
Roland Giandomenico
Stephen Kanela
Walpole Motor Mart, Inc.
Walter Nelson, Jr.
Al's Filling Station
Everett Boyden
Flora Flower
Florence Brown
Town Line Filling Station
Milton Ice Co.
Staples & Hough
Henry S. Benson
Eino Kivi
John Meau
Fred C. Browne
L. E. Willis
Harry M. Kerr
Socony Vacuum, Inc.
Vincent Karol
Adolph Tokaz
Frank Winn
Gulf Station, Inc.
Max H. Schreiter, Inc.
Harry Clinton
Michael Connolly
Saverio Auciello
Richard Florest

Sunday Licenses

Stephen Kanela
L. E. Willis
Albert Remivicus
C. F. Harrington
William Karol
Adolph Tokaz
John Spidi
Myles Towle
Howard Johnson
Jos. Knaus
E. W. Pharmacy
Martha A. Schreiter
Ronald Urquhart
Flora M. Flower
Curtin Pharmacy
Andy's Market
Al's Filling Station
Fowle's News Stand
Jones' Pharmacy
Frank Wright
Wellington Pharmacy
Frank Triano
Frances Glynn
Ellie Manucci
Howard Jones
Elias Howard
Oliver E. Hastings
Town Line Service Sta.

Dealers and Sellers, Class 1

Fred C. Browne — Walpole Motor Mart, Inc. — James E. Leard Co.
Saverio Auciello — Antonio J. Lorusso — Eino Kivi

Junk Licenses

Nathan Lipschitz — Emillio Matarazzo

Special Malt Beverage Licenses

Wine and Malt Beverages (As Common Victualler's)

Paul Sansone (Sansone's) — Walpole Tap Grille, Inc.
Brick Tap, Inc. — Walter E. Taylor
Julia M. Karol

All Alcoholic Beverages (As Common Victualler's)

Ten Pin Restaurant, Inc. — Al's Lunch, Inc.
Rood's Food, Inc. — Sargent's Cafe, Inc.
Red Wing Diner and Restaurant, Inc.

All Alcoholic Beverages (Club Licenses)

East Walpole A. C. — Italian American Club

All Alcoholic Beverages (Package Store)

Dalton's Package Store, Inc. — Central Package Store, Inc.
East Walpole Package Store, Inc.

Wine and Malt Beverages Only (Package Store)

Max H. Schreiter, Inc.

Theatre

Elite Theatre

SPORTING & FISHING LICENSES ISSUED DURING 1946 . . .

Resident Citizens' Fishing	253
Resident Citizens' Hunting	180
Resident Citizens' Sporting	207
Resident Citizens' Minor and Female Fishing	73
Resident Citizens' Trapping	8
	725
NON-RESIDENT—	
Three-day Fishing	2
Fishing	1
Hunting	1
	725
Duplicates	3

JURY LIST FOR 1947 . . .

Angus, Clarence E.	Truckman	907 Main St.
Bacon, Ellis H.	Retired	200 Neponset St.
Bailey, Thomas J.	Truck Driver	3 Hemlock St.
Bandonis, John	Paper Maker	3 Hemlock St.
Baranowski, Albert J.	Factory	267 Washington St.
Baranowski, Benj.	Foreman	245 Pleasant St.
Barnes, Walter I.	Electrician	86 Norfolk St.
Bartlett, Norman H.	Machinist	70 Mass. Ave.
Bassey, Ralph W.	Asst. Pur. Agt.	33 Short St.
Birchard, Benj. F.	Merchant	101 Lewis Ave.
Bishop, William F.	Foreman	172 Pleasant St.
Bliss, Zenas L.	Accountant	11 Lewis Ave.
Bodge, Wilbur G.	Engineer	90 Norfolk St.
Bowden, Roscoe E.	Accountant	126 Coney St.
Bradley, Earl L.	Accountant	119 Coney St.
Broderick, John T.	Chemist	49 Lewis Ave.
Brooks, James L.	Factory	87 Summer St.
Brooks, John W.	Inspector	87 Summer St.
Brown, Fred I.	Janitor	63 Summer St.
Camelio, Paul P.	Merchant	225 School St.
Campbell, Clarence	Ins. Agt.	Hartshorn Road
Cavanaugh, Stephen L.	Factory	12 Calvert Road
Danaher, William B.	Ins. Agt.	906 Main St.
Day, Norman L.	Accountant	1253 Wash. St.
Devine, Bernard W.	Factory	Calvert Road
Dodge, Ellison D.	Landscaping	291 Plimpton St.
Donovan, Francis D.	Technician	1641 Wash. St.
Eames, Arthur L.	Draftsman	298 Pleasant St.
Farrar, Bruce B.	Clerk	78 School St.
Giandomenico, Daniel L.	Factory	605B Lincoln Rd.
Gillis, Everett M.	Machine Tender	146 Pleasant St.
Gilmore, Albert E.	Foreman	Calvert Road
Gilmore, J. Francis	Merchant	98 Lewis Ave.
Glennon, Ralph	Accountant	14 Hanson Ave.
Gould, Charles T.	Manufacturing	Hartshorn Rd.
Grokest, Steve	Paper Maker	1 Wash. St.
Guttormsen, Paul A.	Engineer	12 Park Lane
Holman, Oscar	Foreman	High Plain St.
Hanson, John O.	Contractor	534 West St.
Hartig, Walter H.	Compositor	318 Wash. St.
Hennessey, Daniel H.	Guard	1101 Main St.
Hewins, Howard	Block Cutter	520 Common St.
Hildredth, Ralph	Foreman	8 Marston Rd.
Holbrook, Henry G.	Bus. Executive	31 Mass. Ave.
Holman, Oscar	Foreman	High Plain St.
Hood, Alexander	Machinist	1257 Main St.

Howland, Ralph R.	Pur. Agent	15 Mass. Ave.
Hunter, Samuel R.	Machinist	238 Pleasant St.
Jackson, Thomas C.	Clerk	984 Main St.
Jarvis, William H., Jr.	Block Cutter	672 Common St.
Jeffery, Jesse E.	Machinist	171 Neponset Ave.
Jones, George F.	Accountant	376 Wash. St.
Johnson, George	Foreman	1260 Wash. St.
Kannally, John H.	Mail Carrier	959 Main St.
Kenney, Robert L.	Printer	209 School St.
Kemp, Ralph B.	Foreman	138 East St.
Kerr, Walter B.	Plasterer	1680 Wash. St.
Klingbeil, Helmouth	Machine Operator	41 Stone St.
Lindsay, Ellsworth	Machinist	1930 Wash. St.
Mann, Harry N.	Mech. Engr.	47 Mass. Ave.
Manning, John G.	Foreman	9 Clapp St.
Martin, Elmer	Clerk	33 Water St.
Martin, Joseph F.	Factory	97 South St.
McDonald, John T.	Factory	261 Wash. St.
Mills, Clifford W.	Machinist	180 Summer St.
Morrison, Fred E.	Box Maker	3 Wash. St.
Murphy, William F.	Foreman	288 East St.
Owens, Howard D.	Foreman	1300 Wash. St.
Phillips, Nelson M.	Foreman	520 Common St.
Pratt, John A.	Electrician	237 Pleasant St.
Porter, Chester H.	Pressman	588 Wash. St.
Proctor, John W.	Sample Clerk	158 Common St.
Rounds, Kenneth	Salesman	1 Lewis St.
Sims, Eugene W.	Machinist	897 Main St.
Smith, James C.	Foreman	28 Neponset Ave.
Smith, Harold M.	Machinist	666 Common St.
Spear, Evans F.	Merchant	71 North St.
Sullivan, George A.	Paper Maker	54 Beech St.
Swift, Charles F.	Foreman	375 Common St.
Tetreault, Leo F.	Arch. Engr.	252 Common St.
Thornell, John F.	Fireman	221 Pleasant St.
True, Ralph G.	Foreman	70 Fisher St.
Urmston, W. Harve	Watchman	105 Pine St.
Watson, W. Richard	Engineer	17 Woodland St.
Welch, Thomas W.	Mechanic	1291 Main St.
Whitehead, Frank	Foreman	58 Walcott Ave.
Yankee, Julius	Factory Supt.	628 Main St.

TOWN COUNSEL . . .

During the year 1946, I have drafted leases, easements, conveyances and other legal instruments as requested by the various town officials.

Advice on questions relating to the town meeting warrants has been given to the Appropriations Committee, the Town Engineer, and the Moderator.

I have rendered opinions on various questions to the School Committee, the Superintendent of Schools, the Town Clerk, the Town Treasurer, the Tax Collector, the Board of Assessors, the Chief of Police, the Trust Fund Commissioners, the Board of Public Welfare and committees appointed by the Town.

As a result of meeting with your Board each week, you are familiar with the services rendered to your Board.

I wish to thank your Board and all the Town Officials for their fine spirit of cooperation shown to me and I congratulate all the officials and boards who have contributed to the high moral of our town government.

RICHARD H. KANNALLY.

TOWN ENGINEER AND SUPERINTENDENT OF SEWERS . . .

Highways—During the year the town purchased the following equipment: one five-ton F.W.D. dump truck equipped with sanding machine and large snowplow, one three-yard heavy Ford dump truck with dual rear end, one three-yard heavy Chevrolet dump truck with dual rear end, one twelve-ton Buffalo-Springfield three-wheel gasoline roller and one John Deere tractor with attachments for loading snow.

One five-ton Mack dump truck equipped with sanding machine and plow was ordered in the early Spring but due to conditions beyond the company's control this truck has not been delivered to date.

This year new highway construction included Morse Street from Washington Street approximately 500 feet southwesterly, Old Post Road from Summit Avenue to the residence of Mathew W. Robinson and Summer Street from the residence of Roy Argood to the residence of Harvey W. Hayward. Summer Street construction consisted of a 30-foot tar and gravel roadway from the residence of Roy Argood to Winter Street, and a 24-foot tar and gravel roadway from Winter Street to the residence of Harvey W. Hayward. Two new culverts were installed, one extended, and the three reinforced by heavy head walls. Twelve-inch and fifteen-inch drains were installed and a portion of a large ledge removed. A heavy retaining wall was installed from said ledge to the driveway of James A. Valentine's residence. Morse Street and Old Post Road construction consisted of tar and gravel.

The sidewalk program consisted of the installation of a five-foot concrete sidewalk from the northwesterly side of Charles Street; resurfacing of the old bituminous concrete sidewalk on Main Street from Fisher Street to Bullard Street; resurfacing a section of sidewalk on Diamond Street; the extension of the Riverside Place sidewalk; sunken slabs were repaired in various sections of the town and the sidewalk on East Street and Stone Street repaired.

The following streets were cleaned, patched and then resurfaced: Common Street from Washington Street to the residence of Carl Swenson, Coney Street from Pleasant Street to Route #1, Barstow Road, Bullard Street, Fisher Street approximately 1700 feet from Main Street westerly, Gill Street, Gould Street, High Plain Street from East Street to Route #1, Lincoln Road from the Ahearn residence to the Norfolk line, Morse Street, Mylod Street, Norfolk Street from the residence of Howard Murphy to the Westwood line, Old Post Road from High Plain Street to the Robinson residence, Peach Street from Washington Street to the entrance to the Walpole Golf Club, Pleasant Street, Plimpton Street, Robbins Road from Pemberton Street to Dr. Harding's residence, South Street from Washington to Pine Street, Spring Street, Summer Street from the railroad to the Norfolk line, Sumner Street, Washington Street and Chestnut Street near Bird & Son, Inc., Washington Street from South to Pine Street, Washington Street from High Plain Street to Baker Street, Washington Street from Clinton's Garage to Short Street, West Street from Gould's pit to 1,000 feet beyond the second high bridge, Willett Street, Winter Street from the Zahner residence to Yonkers and Wolcott Avenue.

Brush was cut on the following streets: Allen Street, Barstow Road, Bullard Street, Burrows Street, Chapman Street, Coney Street, Congress Street, Gould Street, Federal Street, Fisher Street, Gill Street, High Street, Hoover Road, Kendall Street, Mylod Street, Norfolk Street, North Street, Pemberton Street, Plimpton Street, Robbins Road, Spear Avenue, Spring Street, Summer Street, West Street and Willett Street.

Snow removal and the sanding of icy pavements and sidewalks presented a most serious problem due in part to the severity of the winter; faulty equipment however handicapped this work and several units should be immediately replaced. In particular the White truck (purchased in 1936) has built up a large mileage and continued operation of this unit is both extremely costly and increasingly unreliable. As a result your Engineer now recommends replacement of this unit.

In the year of 1919 a small steam roller was purchased second-hand; it is now impossible to use the unit for the reason that our insuror has insisted that State requirements be met with resultant steam pressure reduction to a point that necessitates replacement

of the unit in order that necessary work may be performed. I therefore recommend immediate replacement of this unit also.

Chapter 90—Construction and Maintenance—The construction of High Plain Street from Route #1 to the Sharon line was started this year at a cost of $7,519.20. At the annual town meeting an appropriation was made in the amount of $5,300.00 for this construction; one half the cost having been allotted to the town from the State Highway Fund. This construction is being executed by contract; bids were received and opened by the State Department of Public Works.

The following bids were received:

John L. Polillio 2121 Central Street Stoughton, Mass.	$7,519.20
Anthony & Son, Inc. 60 Terrace Road Medford, Mass.	$8,076.50
S. Triconi 96 Warren Street Waltham, Mass.	$8,304.00
Charles Capone 44 Wellmere Road Roslindale, Mass.	$8,458.50
Earl M. Carriere 134 Whitford Street Roslindale, Mass.	$9,108.00
Sacco Stone & Asphalt P. O. Box 1070 Woonsocket, R. I.	$10,050.00

The contract was awarded to John L Polillio, 2121 Central Street, Stoughton, Mass., in the amount of the bid submitted $7,519.20.

Construction on this particular project consists of a tar and gravel roadway 24-feet wide. The intersection at Route #1 will have curved islands in order that traffic may be handled as safely as possible. This construction will be completed in 1947.

For the maintenance of Chapter 90 roads; the state and county made grants of $1,000.00 each; the town appropriated $1,000.00 and the following work was completed:

All catch basins and drainage outlets cleaned on Chapter 90 streets.

Shoulders on Elm Street were reinforced.

The following streets were resurfaced:

Common Street from Washington Street to the residence of Carl Swenson.

Lincoln Road from the residence of James Ahearn to the Norfolk Line.

Washington Street from Clinton's Garage to Short Street.

South Street to Pine Street.

Common Street to the residence of George S. Johnson.

High Plain Street from East Street to Route No. 1.

Washington Street from South Street to Pine Street.

Washington Street from Common Street to residence of George Johnson.

Parks and Playgrounds—Two new power mowers were purchased this year which aided materially the keeping of lawns, tree belts, school grounds and commons in a creditable manner. The left field of the athletic field in the rear of the Plimpton School was graded, loamed and seeded and a good catch of grass ensured. Additional grading and seeding is necessary throughout the center field area of this field between the track and the woods and an appropriation has been requested to do this next year. When this work is completed Walpole will have an athletic field which it can justly be proud of. New cinders were added to the track which was graded and a board lining installed defining the inside limits of the track. The drive at the south side of the Plimpton School running from Common Street to the black top play area in the rear of the building was completed which has materially improved the drainage in that section. The area in the rear of the Plimpton School and adjacent to the black top area was filled, graded and loamed eliminating the hazardous condition existing there detrimental to young children playing thereon.

The existing drives at the Bird School, High School and Plimpton School were surface treated and the ashes removed from all public buildings regularly.

At the north side of the High School a new driveway was constructed from Common Street to the rear of the building and a parking space provided between the building and said drive. Along this drive banks were graded, loamed and seeded and drains installed to properly drain the area.

Through the cooperation of the Walpole Businessmen's Association a Christmas tree in the center, one at South Walpole and decorations at the Town Hall maintained the Christmas spirit as has been our usual practice.

Tree Department and Insect Pest Extermination—On June 8 a heavy windstorm caused considerable damage throughout the town and on June 9 the Selectmen declared an emergency existing. On the 12th of June the Appropriation Committee made a transfer of $1,900.00 to cover this emergency. Many large trees were uprooted and following the removal of these trees the Bartlett Tree Company trimmed and

surgically treated the badly damaged ones on the following streets: Bullard, Common, Coney, East, Fisher, Gould, High Plain Streets, Lincoln Road, North, Pleasant, Plimpton Streets, Rhoades Avenue, Short, South, Stone, Sumner, Union, Washington and West Streets and Wolcott Avenue. In other sections of the town the Boston Edison Company as well as our own crews trimmed and removed branches dangerous to the public. Maple trees were set out on East Street, Hanson Avenue and Wedgemere Court.

In the early part of the year egg clusters of the gypsy moth were creosoted in areas where infestation was more serious than others. This was followed by the regular spraying program and two locations of the Town were sprayed with D.D.T. Both these areas showed remarkable improvement over those which were sprayed with arsenate of lead.

Town Forest—During the year Mr. Harris A. Reynolds, Secretary of the New England Forestry Foundation, suggested the Town have a management plan made of the Town Forest. The first step in making this plan is to determine the amount and quality of the timber by species. At the same time other information is obtained as to the rate of growth, need for protection against fire, insects and pest diseases, conditions for logging, the best methods for cutting to be used and the application of other silvicultural operations that would increase production. Since any profit from timber growing is supplemental to the benefits derived from water conservation such recommendations would be made with water protection as of prime importance. This plan would, without question, be a benefit to the town.

Mr. Charles S. Bird who has always taken a great interest in the town forest and was the prime mover in establishing ours (the first town forest in Massachusetts) has provided this plan for which we are very grateful.

Sewer Department—This department has had a very busy year, more construction was performed than had been done for some time. Due to our inability to secure 4" or 5" pipe but few house connections were possible and there are many applications pending. Seventeen house connections were completed, making a total of 322 connections to our system.

Lateral sewer construction completed this year is as follows:

853 lineal feet 8" pipe on Ellis Street
404 lineal feet 8" pipe on Fuller Avenue
591 lineal feet 8" pipe on Hanson Avenue
547 lineal feet 8" pipe on Maple Street
1,474 lineal feet 8" pipe on School Street
242 lineal feet 8" pipe on Wedgemere Court

The School Street and Maple Street sewer construction was

awarded to the low bidder, Louis Daddario in the amount of $15,445.40.

The contract for Hanson Avenue and Wedgemere Court was awarded to the low bidder, Sam Lorusso & Son, in the amount of $6,077.00. Both of these contracts are complete with the exception of the 5" service connections running from the main line sewer to the street line. If this pipe is available these contracts will be completed in the early Spring. This construction is a total of 4,111 lineal feet added to the system this year and makes the total length of our sewer system 65,798 lineal feet or 12.46 miles; excluding house connections.

Lateral sewers planned for the year 1947 include Burns Avenue, Calvert Road, Charlotte Road, Gould Avenue, a right of way off Fuller Avenue near its intersection with Wolcott Avenue and an interceptor from Pleasant Street through Maguire Park to the outfall sewer at the rear of Hollingsworth & Vose Company.

Repairs to Public Buildings—In order that our public buildings should conform to the requirements of Chapter 143, Section 52 of the General Laws, the State Department of Public Safety ordered the following work to be done: smoke screens to be installed in the corridors of several of the school buildings, additional exits installed from class rooms so that all class rooms should have two exits, two outside exits at Fisher School, enclosure of one stairway at the Plimpton School; exits to be properly designated as such, auxiliary lighting in auditoriums, toilets and urinals properly ventilated and proper ventilation to High School gymnasium.

Most of this work has been completed with the exception of the toilets, the outside exits at the Fisher School and ventilation of High School gymnasium. These latter were not completed due to our inability to secure material.

This year one additional painter was added to the department and the painting program has worked out very satisfactorily again this year.

In addition to the regular maintenance of all public buildings, major repairs were as follows: Bird School—installed electric outlets in manual training shop, completed weather stripping all windows, completed caulking around window sashes, installed smoke screens in corridors, auxiliary lighting in auditorium, and installed new doors so that all class rooms have two exits where required by law. Boyden School—painted entire interior, repaired boiler and installed new oil burner, installed smoke screens and auxiliary lighting in auditorium. Fisher School—installed fluorescent lights in class rooms, painted all class rooms, corridors and toilets and installed two new bubblers. High School—constructed concrete platform for ashes, installed smoke screen in corridor,

constructed ventilation wells in order that all windows to the boys' and girls' shower rooms could be opened and installed new celotex ceiling at girls' entrance. Plimpton School—repaired front entrance, top of air well at north end of building, and painted all class rooms, corridors, toilets and auditorium. Stone School—installed celotex ceiling in one class room, replaced boiler grates and painted all class rooms, toilets and corridors. Town Hall—painted interior and repaired roof. Center Library—repaired roof and cleaned and repaired gutters. South Walpole Fire Station—repaired roof. Center Fire Station—repaired roof. Blackburn Memorial—repaired roof.

Health Department—Dr. Frederick H. Fuller administered this department with the same efficient results as in previous years. This department is very important and the town is indeed fortunate in having a man as conscientious as its Health Officer. The town dump has been maintained in an excellent manner and the garbage collected regularly and efficiently. This year but one case was hospitalized at the Norfolk County Hospital. His detailed report will be found elsewhere in this report.

Purchasing Department—Despite the fact that war-time controls of the Federal Government to a large extent have been removed, it still remains difficult because of the economic disclocations of the war, to obtain materials, supplies and equipment for the maintenance of essential public services. Surplus war property has been available throughout the year and the Surplus Property Act provides that state and local governments be given first preference after the Federal Government in the purchase of surplus war property. Some of this has been purchased but in many cases the minimum quantity as set has been too large to be of direct benefit to the smaller communities.

Water Department—Due to the increased building this year the department had a very busy program to carry out. Forty-seven new services were installed and five services were renewed.

One of the two 200 HP motors at the pumping station was overhauled including the re-winding of both the stator and rotor, the renewing of the bearings and the machining of collector rings. The other 200 HP motor will have to be repaired this coming year. The standpipes at High Plain Street were sandblasted and cleaned on the interior, cleaned and painted on the exterior and cathodic insulation was provided on the three tanks. The total amount of water pumped for the year was 490,270,000 gallons, an increase of 53,913,000 gallons over last year. The following mains were added to the system: 435 lineal feet of 6" pipe on Kendall Street Extension, 513 lineal feet of 6' pipe on Morse Street, 32 lineal feet

of 6" pipe and 218 lineal feet of 4" pipe on May Street, and 1931 lineal feet of 12" pipe on Stone Street Extension, adding 0.59 of a mile of main to the water system. Hydrants were added on Kendall Street Extension, Morse Street and two on Stone Street Extension.

The outstanding debt at the close of the year was $10,000.00 and the surplus revenue amounts to $58,795.36, a decrease of $5,068.94 over that of last year.

FREDERICK F. LIBBY.

HEALTH OFFICER . . .

Except for one epidemic disease which was present in excess of previous years, the general health conditions in the town have been about normal. I refer to the presence of Anterio-Poliomyelitis (Infantile Paralysis) of which four cases were reported. There was an additional case, the diagnosis not being made, but from another one occurring in the family, was probably the same disease. The paralysis resulting from the four cases first mentioned varied from light to severe.

General sanitary conditions throughout the town have been at a fairly high level, although a few tenement houses are badly in need of new plumbing and are to receive attention this coming spring. The townspeople generally have shown commendable pride in keeping their premises and drainage in good condition. There are a few cases where drainage is allowed to flow into the Neponset River and as this is prohibited by State laws, the State will be advised as to conditions later.

The milk standards have been maintained throughout the town and practically all milk is pasteurized. You are referred to the report of the Milk Inspector for further information.

There is no excuse for individual refuse dumps along our highways as the town dump off Stone Street can accommodate all refuse placed there for many years to come.

New regulations from the State for slaughter of animals and poultry are in process of being applied and should work out well for the improved sanitation of these places. I refer you to the written report of the Inspector of Animals and Slaughtering.

Several cases of dog bite have been reported but so far as known, none have required anti-rabic treatment.

Inspections made by me during the year total 87. A few places have been seen two and three times to see that given orders were executed.

The provision stores, large and small, have been visited and conditions generally have been good.

Contagious diseases reported to the Health Officer during the past year are as follows:

Measles	9	Whooping Cough	12
Mumps (probably many cases unreported)	1	Scarlet Fever	11
German Measles (many unreported)	1	Polio-myelitis	4
Chicken Pox	43	Bolbar Myelitis	1
		Pulmonary Tuberculosis	3
		Lobar Pneumonia	3

DR. F. H. FULLER.

DENTAL HYGIENIST . . .

As in the past two years the dental program continued to function under the able guidance of Dr. Raeburn R. Davenport.

The program is divided into remedial and educational work. The remedial work consists of giving out dental examination cards to the children for a check-up and to have all necessary dental work done by the family dentist. This has been supplemented this year since September, by a school dentist, Dr. Alphonse Morale, for one and one-half days per week, to care for those children that cannot go to a private dentist.

The educational phase is emphasized and extended to all grades, for it is believed that as the amount of education increases, the cost of correction decreases.

Under the supervision of the Massachusetts Department of Public Health and of Dr. Basil Bibby, dean of Tufts Dental School, two very interesting studies have been started. one at the Bird School, by direct application of fluorine to the teeth, and the other at the Stone School, with fluorine lozenges taken by mouth. The final tabulation and results of these studies will be available in June.

The policy of interesting everyone in the community in the dental program proved helpful and successful as was so well depicted in the film "Teaching Our Town About Teeth". One very fine result was the gift of a portable dental X-ray machine, presented by the Walpole Rotary Club, and towards which almost every citizen in Walpole contributed.

Number of cleanings for the year were 474.

May I, at this time express my appreciation to Dr. Fuller, and to everyone in Walpole for their interest and cooperation in the school dental program.

ALICE BOURASSA.

MILK INSPECTOR . . .

Thirty-four licenses were issued to stores and restaurants and 17 to producers and dealers for sale of milk and cream.

Routine Inspections of dairy animals, premises and samples of dairy products were made throughout the year. Records of

microscopic appearance, bacteria count, total solids, sediment, per cent butterfat, and, in some samples, flavor, for all licensed dairies show the local supply to be very satisfactory.

Messrs. Andrew Bain and Richard Wood purchased the farm and retail business of the Adams Dairy South Walpole. This business is now continued as that of Bainwood Farm.

Five licenses for operation of pasteurization plants were issued. Nearly 90% of the milk supplied Walpole is now pasteurized.

A total of $75.50 in license fees was collected.

WILLIS H. HOYT,
Milk Inspector.

ANIMAL INSPECTOR . . .

All premises where livestock is kept, together with the livestock, have been visited and inspected.

All cattle coming into herds were inspected, and reported to the proper State Authority before being admitted.

All cases of disease were investigated, and necessary quarantine and clean-up measures were taken.

All cases of dog bites were investigated. No positive cases of Rabies were found.

FRANCIS X. MAGUIRE,
Animal Inspector.

SLAUGHTER INSPECTOR . . .

The following inspections were made:

Number of cattle slaughtered and inspected	401
Number of hogs slaughtered and inspected	1236
Number of sheep slaughtered and inspected	92
Number of veal slaughtered and inspected	82
	1811

FRANCIS X. MAGUIRE.

PLUMBING INSPECTOR . . .

68 inspections were made during the year and satisfactory workmanship has been done throughout the town.

All complaints relative to plumbing were inspected and taken care of, the details of which are on file in the Engineer's office.

EDWARD F. ONION,
Plumbing Inspector.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE AND BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE . . .

Your local Department of Public Welfare has one primary purpose to provide the greatest possible service to all recipients in all categories of relief. Efficiency and economy in the use of the funds which are provided is an almost parallel thought.

A careful inquiry into the income and resources of applicants is made before determining the amount of relief. All allowances are given in accordance with the State Standard Budgetery requirements. Following such inquiry the ability of sons and daughters to support applicants is given every consideration in order that public funds will be distributed only to those needing aid and who have no other source of income.

During the month of January 1946 there was a complete revision of this department's statistical reports made by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Public Welfare. This revision necessitated showing (a) reasons for opening cases, (b) Active cases—showing extent to which recipients are dependent upon public assistance;—that is, whether recipients of families are supported in whole or in part by their assistance payment and the amount of money paid for cases requiring assistance for all their needs and for cases requiring supplementation to other income.

This information is important for effective planning and administration of public welfare. It also throws light on special needs and indicates the relative importance of unemployment and disability as factors contributing to need.

The effects of Unemployment Compensation and Old Age and Survivor's Insurance are being slightly felt on our assistance program by reducing the amounts needed under normal budget conditions. Income from military sources such as allotments or allowances of men on active duty, military insurance payments, etc., have also had some small similar effect on our assistance program.

Also, in January of 1946 the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Monthly Statistical Reports were changed in order to indicate vital information regarding Old Age and Survivor's Insurance; Unemployment Compensation; Military Allottment, Pensions, Insurance and income from relative and other sources. This material is of considerable value to your local Department of Public Welfare too, in order that trends of public assistance may be interpreted.

These statistics are useful in a period of rising case loads since they contribute to public understanding of the reasons for increased expenditures for assistance. It is then possible to fore-

cast more intelligently what may be expected of this department in meeting the needs of qualified applicants.

Effective as of May 1, 1946 your Department of Public Welfare was required to increase the food and fuel allowance in the budget of every recipient. This was a mandatory increase as recommended to the State Department by the National Research Council.

A complete change in insurance ownership was established in August 1946. New provisions of the law are applicable on all new applications for Old Age Assistance and also to reapplications where there has been six months' lapse in assistance payments. Information regarding Group and new Life Insurance provisions is available at the office of your local Bureau of Old Age Assistance.

A state-wide study of current prices enabled the State Department of Public Welfare to establish in September 1946, new State Standard Budgetery figures. This again required that the entire case load be completely reviewed once more and necessary adjustments in grants be made in accordance with the new standards. This change had to be and was effected within thirty days.

The Old Age Assistance case load has remained fairly constant throughout the entire year but because of the revision of budget costs, expenses have increased.

Public Welfare category costs have increased considerably for several reasons: Budget requirements have increased; the case load has been brought up by physically incapacitated persons who are not eligible for old age assistance, and there have been several commitments to institutions.

Much added clerical work is necessitated by these changes in statistical reports and in budgets; new cases, closed and suspended cases as well as admissions to hospitals, nursing homes and public institutions.

A detailed account of receipts and expenditures will be found in the Town Accountant's report.

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT, FIRE ALARM SUPT., WIRE INSPECTOR AND TOWN ELECTRICIAN . . .

During the year the fire department has responded to 66 Box Alarms and 10 Still Alarms.

Summary of alarms and fires for the year:

Building Fires	23	Emergency or First Aid	1
Chimney Fires	8	Needless Alarms	2
Truck and Automobile Fires	13	Oil Burners	4
Dump Fires	2	Out of Town Fires	2
False Alarms	11		

We have laid 13,300 feet of hose and raised 525 feet of ladder.

Estimated value buildings burned	$153,894.00
" loss on buildings burned	21,086.96
" insurance for buildings burned	180,000.00
" insurance paid on buildings burned	20,136.00
" value of contents	217,467.00
" loss on contents	20,355.54
" insurance on contents	117,183.54
" insurance paid on contents	20,355.54
" total loss on buildings and contents	41,442.50
" total insurance paid on buildings and contents	40,491.54

I have inspected and issued the following permits:

92 permits for storage of oil
4 permits for use of dynamite

All schools have been inspected as to fire drills, and pupils have also been instructed in fire prevention, and I want to commend the School Department on their good work.

Notice to Townspeople

In case of fire go at once to the nearest fire alarm box, follow directions carefully. Stay or leave someone at the box to direct firemen. Telephone alarm for brush fires unless property is in immediate danger. Be sure you know the number of the nearest fire alarm location; if you cannot get the Fire Department (which number is Tel. 260) call the Police Department (Tel. #300) and they can put the alarm on. If you tell them the right number it helps a great deal.

I regret to report that two persons were killed, one the Fire Chief of the Kendall Company, and seven others were sent to the hospital, three of whom died during the year.

Laws and ordinances, and the earnest efforts of the fire officials in enforcing them, will not alone control fire losses. Almost every fire is the result of someone's carelessness, so be careful at all times with things which cause fire.

Forest Fires

We have had 73 Box Alarms, 15 Still Alarms, and 4 Out of Town calls. Owing to the wet year and prompt notification of fires, we were able to keep our fires small and few, but we must be on guard this coming year as the Department of Conservation predicts a dry year, so we request your continued cooperation. Please be careful, watch incinerators, and be sure to get a permit for all out-of-door fires. Permits are **always** necessary except when the ground is covered with snow. A new F. W. D. tank truck was delivered April 19, 1946 which is working out with good results.

I recommend that the Town purchase another tank truck to replace the 1929 Ford at the East Walpole Station.

Fire Alarm Maintenance

During the year 288 hours have been expended for regular maintenance work on the outside system. This does not include clearing troubles after storms, breaks due to vehicle accidents or routine departmental checking. Approximately 100 hours have been expended on trouble due to the storm of June 8, 1946 and other emergency calls due to breaks in system service. We have cleared 12 miles of wire in the system, transferred our equipment from old poles to new poles that were set during the year by the Boston Edison Company in 32 locations. This includes transfers of 6 fire alarm boxes. We have trimmed trees for wire clearance on the Water Department signal wires from water towers at High Plain Street to the Walpole Pumping Station, and repaired this line in general. When time permitted we restored to normal all breaks due to accidents and storms on general maintenance work to guard against future breaks due to temporary work at these locations. The critical shortage of material still hampered our program for replacements and extension of lines in badly needed locations. We hope this coming year to wire in box at Baker and Washington Streets and also a box at the Ranger Corporation on Main Street.

Town Electrician

I have had 71 working orders this year through the office of the Town Engineer, also a number of telephone calls from the School Department and Library Department. During the year I have received 98 applications for permits to do wiring in various locations in town and I want to thank the electricians for their co-operation in giving the people of the Town of Walpole such efficient service. It pays to have a licensed man do your work. I also want to thank the Board of Selectmen, the firemen and the citizens of Walpole for their loyal support and cooperation.

CHESTER L. DONNELL.

POLICE DEPARTMENT . . .

Automobile accidents for the past year have been about the same as in 1945 considering the increased volume of automobiles on the highways I feel that we have had a very successful year.

The Town has been free from serious offenses and I feel that the so-called Youth Delinquency does not exist in Walpole.

There has been two permanent appointments made during the past year, William J. Brennan and Joseph J. Burke both are returned veterans.

Sergt. Timothy A. Cullinane took a course of studies at the Federal Bureau of Investigation at Washington, D. C. I am sure that the Town will be greatly benefited by the knowledge and police instructions that he received while there.

A complete summary of all police activities for the year is on file at this station.

LEVI S. THOMPSON, CHIEF.

INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS . . .

Permits were issued as follows:

	Number	Approximate Cost
New Dwellings	28	$182,800.00
Dwellings with garages attached	11	71,300.00
Additions and alterations to dwellings	45	29,350.00
New commercial buildings	8	74,900.00
Additions and alterations to commercial buildings	6	8,900.00
Manufacturing buildings	5	211,000.00
Hen houses	3	900.00
Garages	22	7,575.00
Small buildings	13	2,960.00
Barns	4	1,500.00
Temporary buildings	2	1,100.00
Raze buildings	2	
Cellars	7	2,800.00
Totals	156	$595,085.00

In addition to the above 156 permits issued, 399 inspections were made. $615.00 was received for permit fees. 39 plumbing permits were approved.

FRED J. TETREAULT,
Building Inspector.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES . . .

The following scales and meters were tested and sealed during year 1946:

Platform—10,000 lbs. and over	9	Personal weighing	4
Platform—5,000-10,000	8	Prescriptoin	4
Platform—100-5,000	31	Avoirdupois	60
Counter—over 100 lbs.	7	Apothecary	34
Counter—under 100 lbs.	13	Metric	16
Spring—over 100 lbs.	3	Meters—1" inlet	60
Spring—Under 100 lbs.	22	Meters—over 1"	15
Computing—under 100 lbs.	20		

Reweighing on Commodities Put Up For Sale

Butter	100 Pkgs.	Potatoes	50 Bags
Sugar	90 Pkgs.	Onions	44 Pkgs.
Lard	60 Pkgs.	Scratch Feed	30 Bags
Flour	105 Bags	Nuts	35 Pkgs.
Coffee	75 Pkgs.		

WILLIAM F. SMITH.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS . . .

We herewith submit our annual report for the year 1946, and for comparison we show the statistics for the year 1945.

	1946		1945
Number of Persons, Partnerships and Corporations assessed on property	2,098		2,110
Number of Persons Assessed on Poll Taxes	2,464		2,427
Value of Assessed Personal Property	1,827,022.00		1,811,747.00
Value of Assessed Real Estate:			
Buildings $10,023,597.00		9,824,500.00	
Land 1,807,927.00	11,831,524.00	1,741,594.00	11,566,094.00
	13,658,546.00		13,377,841.00
Number of Motor Vehicles assessed		2,895	2,445
Number of Horses assessed		83	80
Number of Cows assessed		406	534
Number of Neat Cattle assessed		133	89
Number of Sheep assessed		70	22
Number of Goats assessed		25	23
Number of Swine assessed		68	341

Number of Fowl assessed	12,934	18,755
Number of Dwelling Houses assessed	1,795	1,784
Number of Acres of Land assessed	11,122	11,083
Town Grant (Appropriations)	747,379.33	634,972.71
Overlay Deficits	——	——
State Tax	14,050.00	18,904.00
Auditing Tax	678.73	763.04
Parks and Reservations	475.34	473.35
Metropolitan Sewerage—South—Tax	8,205.50	7,063.16
County Tax and Assessments	26,272.86	24,228.69
	797,061.66	686,404.95
Overlays	9,134.13	4,507.36
	806,195.79	690,912.31
Total Estimated Receipts deducted	418,828.46	343,585.58
2,464 Poll Taxes @ $2.00	4,928.00	4,854.00
Property Tax	382,439.33	342,472.73
Total amount of all Taxes listed	387,367.33	347,326.73
DECEMBER ASSESSMENTS:		
Real Estate	32,895.00	12,620.00
Personal Estate	——	1,000.00
Additional Poll Taxes	——	——
Rate of Taxation per thousand	28.00	25.60

COMMISSIONER OF TRUST FUNDS . . .

The Board of Commissioners of Trust Funds has held meetings at various times during the year, as necessary, and submits the following report of income and disbursements from funds under its supervision for the year ending December 31, 1946:

	Income	Payments
Charles Fales Scholarship Fund	$3,217.94	$3,217.94*
Bird Scholarship Fund	.30	——
Walpole Emergency Medical Aid Fund	1,300.46	317.35
Frederick E. Clapp Memorial Fund	15.80	7.50
Lewis Drinking Fountain Fund	11.92	——
Charles S. Bird Library Fund	262.14	150.00
Walpole Public Library Fund	29.48	——
Lucy J. Gould Library Fund	19.79	——
Mary W. Hyde Library Fund	13.18	——
Mary W. Hyde Cemetery Fund	4.88	——
Susan Capen Cemetery Fund	4.88	——
Clarissa Guild Cemetery Fund	4.88	——
Abigail Guild Cemetery Fund	4.76	——

Charles H. Guild Cemetery Fund	9.53	——
Margaret E. Capen Cemetery Fund	11.92	——
	$4,902.86	$3,692.79

*Paid in January, 1947.

A generous gift was made by Mr. Philip R. Allen to the Walpole Emergency Medical Aid Fund in December, 1946.

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF TRUST FUNDS
J. A. Valentine, Chairman
B. D. Rogers,
A. H. Anderson, Secretary.

TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY . . .

During 1946, it has been possible to replace badly worn and needed supplies for the Library. Expenditures for a desk, and a filing cabinet were large items which we, the Trustees, were glad to approve.

From accumulated interest from Library Trust Funds we have purchased curtains for the Library Room in the Fisher School. These have added greatly to the attractiveness of the room, which is used, not only by Library patrons, but by the North Walpole branch of the Parent Teachers' Association. A record player and records for the Children's Room were also bought with Trust Fund money, and the same source was used to pay for Christmas decorations. These decorations were selected by the Garden Club. We are further indebted to them for advice on landscaping the Library grounds. We hope to carry out their suggestions in the Spring.

There have been two major changes in the Library personnel. Miss Mary Laughlin, the Children's Librarian, resigned in April and Miss Esther Walsh left us at the end of the summer.

Miss Hannah Hatfield of Utica, N. Y., a graduate of the School of Library Science at Simmons College, with several years of excellent experience, took Miss Laughlin's place and Mrs. Anne Wilson, a regular assistant on the staff, succeeded Miss Walsh in East Walpole. Both Miss Hatfield and Mrs. Wilson are doing fine work in their respective positions.

The other members of the staff are to be commended for their work and willingness to give extra time when there was a help shortage.

The public has been helpful in making suggestions for books to be added. We are only too glad of these and any other constructive criticisms which the townspeople—who **are** the owners of the Library—care to offer.

LIBRARIAN . . .

The year 1946 was a good one for the Library. The circulation records show a steady gain in the use of both adult and juvenile books; a gain that would have been still greater had not the Boyden School at South Walpole been closed so many weeks in the winter. During the nine weeks that we were unable to open our station there we lost an estimated circulation of two thousand.

More than ever this past year we have taken advantage of inter-library loan. By doing this we have fulfilled the need of our borrowers without an often costly purchase of a book that would be little used. We borrowed 53 books in English in 1946, as well as sets of books in foreign languages.

Several non-residents have applied for and been granted permission to use the Library.

A service for shut-ins was organized early in the year whereby six books every month were delivered to people who were unable to come to the Library by members of the local Girl Scout troops. A number of people took advantage of this service and we hope that many more will do so in the coming year.

Following the example of many neighboring libraries, the Library was closed on Saturday evenings during the summer, and to accommodate our patrons, was opened for two hours on Saturday mornings. We received so many favorable comments on this additional opening that when September came and we resumed our Saturday evening hours, we decided to continue the morning ones too. The Library is now open from 10-12 A. M. both Wednesday and Saturday, in addition to our regular afternoon and evening hours.

Our work with the children and young people has been more satisfactory than ever, this year. With the completion of the card catalog at the East Walpole Branch, the fifth through the eighth grade children at Bird School were invited to come for library instruction. The fifth grade children from Stone and Plimpton Schools came as usual to the Main Library for the same instruction.

Miss Hatfield, the children's librarian, visited a number of the classrooms to give book talks and tell stories to the children.

Story hours at both the Walpole Public Library and the East Walpole Branch have been held regularly each Saturday morning during the fall and winter months, and have been very popular with the young people. A new record player, purchased this winter, has added greatly to the story hour programs. We hope, in the near future, to organize listening hours as well.

During the summer months a Reading Club was organized for the boys and girls. The total membership, including that of the East Walpole and North Walpole Clubs, was 160. These

youngsters had a good time meeting new book friends and earning credits for books read, and at the same time, according to their parents and teachers, gained new skills in reading.

Since October several Girl Scouts from the Pine Cone Troop have been meeting regularly in the Children's Room to work on their Reader Badge, and are about to complete the requirements.

Book Week, in November, was a very busy time. About one hundred and thirty new books for children were exhibited in the Children's Room and in the Historical Room during the week. The school principals and teachers cooperated closely, and almost every classroom sent in an exhibit prepared by the children to show what the Book Week theme, "Books Are Bridges," meant to them. The East Walpole Branch celebrated Book Week too, and the staff of both the Main Library and the Branch were happy to welcome children, parents, teachers and other interested townspeople to see the exhibits during the week. Many of the teachers brought their classes in as a group and they were welcomed with stories and book talks.

Again this year there have been staff changes. Miss Mary Loughlin, the Children's Librarian, resigned in April to be married. During the summer we were without a Children's Librarian, but were very fortunate when, in late August, Miss Hannah M. Hatfield was appointed to that position. She is a graduate of the Simmons College School of Library Science, and has had several years of experience. Miss Esther Walsh, our East Walpole Branch Librarian, resigned in August. Mrs. Anne Wilson was appointed to succeed her.

We wish to express our appreciation to other Town Departments and to the Walpole Times for their cooperation and assistance during the year, to the Garden Club for Christmas decorations, and to the following people for gifts of books and flowers: Miss H. Louise Fitts, Miss Kathryn Adams, Mr. H. S. Lines, Mr. W. A. DuBois, Mr. Francis Donovan, Mrs. George Plimpton, Mrs. George Duley, Mrs. Norman Robinson, Mr. Robert Beale, Mrs. Clara June, Miss Katherine Lewis and Mrs. Sophie McKenzie.

A word of appreciation is also due the members of the Staff who adjusted so willingly to changes of work and schedule made necessary by resignations during the year, and to the Board of Trustees who were always ready with encouragement and advice.

CIRCULATION STATISTICS—1946

	Adult	Juvenile	Total
Main Library	21,711	9,029	30,740
East Walpole	9,609	4,606	14,215
North Walpole	2,721	6,202	8,923
South Walpole	135	2,019	2,154
Grade Schools		6,244	6,244

Bird & Son	168		168
Inter-Library Loan	53		53
Girl Scouts		60	60
Totals	34,397	28,160	62,557
Total books in Library Jan. 1, 1946	17,903	6,138	24,041
Books added during 1946	893	680	1,573
Totals	18,796	6,818	25,614
Books withdrawn during 1946	1,771	463	2,234
Total books in Library Jan. 1, 1947	17,025	6,355	23,380
Borrowers			
Total borrowers Jan. 1, 1946	1,688	963	2,651
Added in 1946 (new)	226	161	387
Re-registered in 1946	256	102	358
	2,170	1,226	3,396
Number cards expired during 1946	574	238	812
Total borrowers Jan. 1, 1947	1,596	988	2,584

EUNICE M. CRISSEY.

PLANNING BOARD . . .

In accordance with a vote passed at the Special Town Meeting of June 11, 1945, the Planning Board met with the Selectmen and appointed the following Committee to revise the Town Zoning By-Laws: Roger F. Turner, Chairman, Joseph G. Needle, John H. Peebles, Herbert D. Robinson, Frank B. Smith. The Committee has been devoting considerable time and study to the work during the past year and hopes to have a report ready for the annual town meeting. Some recommendations for changes in the by-laws will be submitted, as it is felt that the present by-laws, which were accepted in 1925, have become antiquated.

In addition to the regular meetings of the Board, eight public hearings were held, five for consideration of proposed zone changes and three for the consideration of proposed subdivisions of property. The Board also met with the Zoning Committee on several occasions to advise and assist in drafting the proposed revisions to the by-laws.

Concerning a proposed sub-division on the northerly side of North Street and extending to the Westwood town line, the Board,

becouse of the topography of that section, declined to approve the lay-out until such time as the owners or developers of the property would post a bond with the town in an amount sufficient to cover the cost of bringing the streets to a proper grade. Up to the close of the year, the bond had not been posted.

VISITING NURSE . . .

Bedside nursing visits to medical, surgical and maternity patients	2121
Child Health supervisory visits	212
Follow-up visits to tuberculosis patients	10
Social service calls and interviews in behalf of patients	79
Home operations at which nurse assisted	13
Visits made to a local industry during the absence of its regular nurse	15

A Well-Child Conference, sponsored by the Walpole Visiting Nurse Association, was held in May at the Blackburn Memorial Hall. Fifty-three preschool children, with their mothers, attended this conference which was conducted by a pediatrician, a dental hygienist, and a nutritionist from the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, Division of Child Hygiene. Helpful advice was given to the mothers concerning the care, health, and diet of their children. During the year, further check has been made by the nurses.

The Visiting Nurse Association appreciates the cooperation and assistance of the Red Cross Motor Corps in transporting patients to various hospitals and clinics.

The Association is grateful to the Medical Aid Fund and the Lend-a-Hand Society for the purchase of needed supplies and the financial assistance given in cases brought to their attention.

We wish to thank the individuals and organizations of the community who have aided us in making this public health service possible.

ANN ZEELAND, R. N.

Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS:		
Balance on hand January 1, 1946	192.11	
		192.11
Donations	50.00	
Gift of Mrs. Frank Howe	500.00	
Membership dues	1,086.40	
Withdrawn from savings account, Norfolk County Trust Co.	250.00	
Medical aid refund	305.70	
Automobile insurance claim	8.35	

Cash received for nursing services	795.66	
Cash received for nursing services—Metropolitan Life Insurance Co.	126.50	
Cash received for nursing services—John Hancock Life Insurance Co.	120.00	
Receipts	3,434.72	3,434.72
Town appropriation (for salaries)		2,400.00
Total receipts for 1946		5,834.72
EXPENDITURES:		
Salaries	1,213.70	
Withholding tax	217.90	
Establishment of the Frank Howe Trust Fund, Provident Institution for Savings	500.00	
Telephone	82.80	
Automobile	297.93	
Mileage for use of second car	148.95	
Medical aid	327.60	
Service charge—Norfolk County Trust Co.	7.37	
Stationery supplies	4.10	
Nursing supplies	6.70	
Workmen's Compensation Insurance	30.03	
Health work	5.00	
Nursing directory	1.75	
Organization membership	6.00	
Advertisement of annual meeting	6.00	
Expenditures	2,855.83	
Town fund salaries	2,400.00	
Total expenditures for 1946	5,255.83	5,255.83
Balance on hand December 31, 1946		578.89

ELIZABETH M. PERRY,
Treasurer.

DOGS LICENSED . . .

Male Dogs	492
Female Dogs	89
Female Dogs, spayed	213
Military Free Licenses	5
	799
Kennel Licenses	12
	811

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' SERVICES . . .

With the idea of providing the veterans of the Town of Walpole a tangible service, this office came into being on April 29, 1946. This was the result of the Townspeople accepting Chapter 723, which provided towns with the authority to establish a department for Veterans' Rehabilitation. Many services rendered by other departments were transferred to this office.

Among the services rendered since the Department has been in operation are: Securing photostatic copies of any and all documents to be used in securing local, state, and federal benefits; registering discharges in a permanent record book for future reference; making available to veterans, their families or dependents, up-to-date information on law changes and new legislation concerning veterans' benefits; providing assistance in filling out any form used in securing aid and benefits of any form; giving counsel and advice on problems such as Bonuses, Insurance, Education, Employment Rights, Pensions, Loans, Compensation, etc.; co-operating with the different veterans' organizations in town by offering the use of certain files and veterans' lists in this office; making proper referrals to get the veteran or his dependents immediate answers on their problems; representing veterans at out-of-town agencies on claims, appeals, etc.; registering eligible veterans as voters of Walpole, as well as any other eligible citizens; securing affidavits such as birth, death, and marriage certificates to be used in applying for benefits; and keeping files on each case, and recording the disposition of each and every case.

In May, 1946, the first month the Department was in operation, about 72 veterans were aided in various ways. This, when the services of the office were little known to the people of the town. In January, 1947, after considerable publicizing, over 212 calls were made in this Department. The number of people taking advantage of this Department's services has been steadily increasing and the type of problems have been increasing in complexity which requires a great deal of follow-up work.

ARTHUR L. LALIBERTY.

SCHOOL DENTIST . . .

Examinations of all high school athletes and the Junior and Senior Classes were made. All cases where infection was suspected were X-rayed.

The grade school children were examined and the parents were notified of any defects which were present.

Fillings and extractions were done on children who could not see their own dentist. Every effort is being made to see that the mouths of all the school children are cleared of infection and put in a healthful condition.

I am happy to report that the school children of Walpole have shown a commendable spirit in cooperating with this department.

Clinic operations from September to December were as follows:

	Deciduous	Permanent
Number of Extractions	24	10
Number of Fillings	49	123
X-rays and Other Operations	194	
Total Operations	400	

ALPHONSE MORALE, D. D. S.

REGISTRATION OF GASOLINE FILLING STATIONS AT TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE DURING THE YEAR 1946 . . .

January 31, 1946	Flora M. Flower, 686 Washington St.
January 31, 1946	Everett E. Boyden, 1439 Main St.
January 31, 1946	Staples & Hough, Main St.
January 31, 1946	J. E. Leard Co., 751 Main St.
January 31, 1946	Adolph Tokaz, Route 1, Prov. Turnpike
January 31, 1946	Stephen C. Kanela, 201 Main St.
January 31, 1946	L. E. Willis, 347 Washington St.
January 31, 1946	Vincent Karol, 104 Main St.
January 31, 1946	Harry H. Clinton, 200 Washington St.
February 14, 1946	M. E. Cummings, (Gulf Station) Main St.
February 14, 1946	Henry S. Benson, 583 Main St.
February 14, 1946	S. Auciello, Main St.
March 1, 1946	Harry M. Kerr, 1730 Washington St.
April 8, 1946	Socony Vacuum Oil Co., Main St.
April 15, 1946	A. Lorusso (Lasky, Mgr.), Washington St.
May 29, 1946	A. Rimavicus, 203 Main St.
May 29, 1946	Fred C. Browne, Main St.
May 29, 1946	R. J. Giandomenico, cor. East & Main Sts.
May 29, 1946	Walpole Motor Mart, Inc., 908 Main St.
May 29, 1946	Max H. Schreiter, Inc., 262 Main St.
May 29, 1946	Eino Kivi, cor. West & Elm Sts.
May 29, 1946	R. Florest, Washington St.
May 29, 1946	Florence Brown, Route 1, Prov. Turnpike
July 15, 1946	Jarvis Filling Station, Main St.
July 15, 1946	J. W. Meau, Washington St.
July 15, 1946	Milton Ice Co., Elm St.
August 1, 1946	Myles Towle, cor. Common & Wash. Sts.
August 1, 1946	M. Connolly, Main St.
December 31, 1946	D. Riganese, Main St.

Total Registrations — Twenty-nine (29)

KATHERINE J. HIGGINS,
Town Clerk

BIRTHS

Recorded in the Town of Walpole during the year ending December 31, 1946

Date of Birth 1946		Name of Child	Birthplace	Names of Parents
January	10	Henry Francis Gotovich, Jr.	Norwood	Henry F. and Louise
	16	Leanne Penelope Davidson	Chelsea	John B. and Helen M.
	21	Chester Emando Orlando	Norwood	Chester E. and Mabel E.
	21	Robert Verrochi	Norwood	Peter and Constance
February	1	Jacquelyn Mary Mayhew	Norwood	Kenneth W. and Rose A.
	6	Priscilla Jane Richardson	Boston	William J. and Phyllis
	7	Gail Louise Morgan	Norwood	Robert W. and Priscilla D.
	8	Richard Stanley Johnson	Norwood	Wilfred S. and Ruth T.
	9	Karen Margaret McDermott	Norwood	Frank W. and Margaret P.
	9	Thomas Chester Porter	Norwood	Chester H. and Sarah E.
	13	Stephen Grover Sibley	Norwood	Eugene E. and Barbara A.
	13	John Anderson Grant	Norwood	Victor E. and Olga L.
	15	Anne Elaine Naruszewicz	Norwood	Edwin S. and Frieda M.
	17	Diana Lynn DeMichele	Norwood	Peter and Yolando
	20	Judith Ann Philipp	Norwood	Walter A. and Dorothy L.
	20	Carol Ann Vienot	Norwood	William H. and Caroline
	20	Rita Marie Amaral	Norwood	David and Amelia M.
	21	Rosemary Jarlis	Norwood	Joseph V. and Mary
	21	Sharon Lee Hutchins	Norwood	Kenneth G. and Sadie A.
	23	John Richard Parquette	Norwood	John R. and Elizabeth R.
	23	Barbara Ann Suomi	Norwood	Victor and Katherine
	23	Barbara Marie Rooney	Norwood	John F. and Eva S.
	28	John Francis Farrell, Jr.	Norwood	John F. and Mary E.
March	1	William Robert Mingels	Norwood	Edward F. and Sylvia E.
	2	Mary Susanne Smith	Norwood	Carl E. and Joanna F.
	3	John Peter Ciarrocchi	Norwood	Peter and Tomassina
	6	James Harold Noonan	Norwood	Harold L. and Ann T.

BIRTHS—Continued

Date of Birth 1946		Name of Child	Birthplace	Names of Parents
	7	Donna Louise Bilotta	Norwood	Joseph P. and Marie
	8	Mary Janet MacEwen	Norwood	Kimball P. and Nora
	9	David Allan Paton	Bolling Field, D. C.	Andrew and Dorothy F.
	17	Charles Monroe Boothby, Jr.	Boston	Charles M. and Lilian C.
	19	Anita Marie King	Norwood	John S. and Rose M.
	19	Phyllis Ann Matarazzo	Norwood	Emilio and Josephine
	21	Susan Jane Hill	Boston	Frederick W. and Lucy E.
	25	Roger Bruce Gilbert	Norwood	Edrick J. and Barbara J.
	25	Stillborn		
April	1	Laura Lee Burns	Norwood	Howard I. and Laura M.
	3	Patricia Dorothy Collins	Norwood	Edward P. and Ethel D.
	4	Edward Robinson Buck III	Boston	Edward R. and Frances A.
	4	Robert Stillings Tanner	Norwood	Albert A. and Evelyn P.
	4	Pauline DeMichele	Norwood	Rudolph and Mary
	5	Christine Brucker	Boston	Frederick E. and Anna
	5	Richard Norman Swenson, Jr.	Norwood	Richard N. and Isabel
	6	Jane Wyman Everett	Norwood	H. Bruce and Myrtle
	7	Roger E. Carlson	Norwood	Arthur E. and Mildred M.
	11	——— Pulkkinen	Milford	Reino A. and Annette
	15	Donna Marie Hansen	Boston	Howard P. and Florence H.
	15	Karen Janis Hagblom	Norwood	Frederick J. and Marjorie M.
	17	Robert Edward Daly	Norwood	William J. and Mary
	18	Kenneth Paul Connolly	Norwood	James and Celia E.
	20	Erica Lawson Coburn	Norwood	Joseph L. and Tille L.
	21	Linda Ellen McGough	Norwood	Robert and Margaret B.
	23	Jeanne Frances Harris	Norwood	John and Ruth
	26	David John Schroeder	Waltham	Russell J. and Marie L.
May	1	David Paul LaCivita	Norwood	Charles P. and Edna
	18	Charles Francis Sullivan	Boston	John A. and Veronica M.
	20	Illegitimate		

Date of Birth 1946		Name of Child	Birthplace	Names of Parents
	20	Susan Winn Glebus	Norwood	Anthony J. and Phyllis W.
	22	Randall Mark Smith	Boston	George D. and Barbara A.
	23	Richard Leigh Ellis	Norwood	William P. and Lois B.
	24	Eleanor Arleen Guisti	Norwood	Vito and Eleanor F.
June	4	David Erik Rice	Norwood	Leyland S. and Gladys
	7	Norma Giandomenico	Norwood	Roland J. and Jennie
	12	Robert Diller Orlando	Norwood	Antonio F. and Mary
	13	Jacqueline Anne True	Norwood	Herbert W. and Doris M.
	14	Janet Rawding	Norwood	Burton R. and Nancy
	15	Virginia Bock	Norwood	Charles H. and Natalie
	16	Susan Lee Gillis	Norwood	Charles B. and Margaret G.
	20	Stillborn		
	25	Sandra Ann Sheehan	Norwood	John F. and Irma
	25	John Aloysius Costello	Norwood	Daniel and Janet
	30	Dian Marie Forrest	Norwood	Francis and Allilia
July	2	Richard Laurence Phillipps	Norwood	Winthrop J. and Marie P.
	2	Robert Charles Mayo	Norwood	Dana B. and Esther F.
	5	Victor Hugh Sickinger	Norwood	Victor and Annie
	8	Nancy Marie Pellini	Norwood	Aldo D. and Julia
	8	Marcia Elaine Needle	Norwood	Joseph G. and Edith
	11	Martin Joseph Lichterman, Jr.	Memphis, Tenn.	Martin J. and Mary E.
	15	Dianne Maria Colicchio	Norwood	Ralph and Celia
	20	James Edward Wood	Norwood	James E. and Frances
	22	Marlene Mastropieri	Norwood	Leonard and Mildred
	22	Ann Margaret Jennings	Norwood	Richard and Theresa R.
	23	Douglas Newell Robinson	Norwood	Lyman and Madeline
	25	Richard Joseph Lamore	Norwood	Edward A. and H. Gertrude
	25	James Edwin Cross, Jr.	Boston	James E. and Virginia
	27	Frederick Owen Meau	Norwood	Joseph and Lillian
	28	Frederick Dana Tschirch	Norwood	Frederick and Elizabeth

BIRTHS—Continued

Date of Birth 1946	Name of Child	Birthplace	Names of Parents
28	Merle Franklin Hescock, Jr.	Norwood	Merle F. and Flora M.
30	Cynthia Atherton Holmes	Brunswick, Me.	John E. and Helen F.
30	Jeanne Ellen Pare	Boston	Henry J. and Marion L.
August 2	Kenneth Allan Sundquist	Norwood	Carl J. and Gloria G.
2	Beverly Ann Stewart	Norwood	Lester L. and Barbara A.
3	Peter Asadoorian	Norwood	Jacob H. and Mary D.
4	Gail Elizabeth Penza	Norwood	Carmen and Nancy
4	Linda Sue Lurtsema	Boston	Harry F. and Mabel
8	Jacqueline Ann White	Norwood	Malcolm R. and Grace G.
10	Joseph Charles Bandonis, Jr.	Norwood	Joseph and June
10	George Thomas Painter	Norwood	Clayton B. and Winnifred
11	Linda Blair Hill	Norwood	Arthur and Katherine
12	William Callaghan	Norwood	Martin F. and Mary A.
12	Daniel Edward Griffin	Norwood	Joseph and Charlotte E.
20	Kathleen Booth	Norwood	Robert L. and Roberta L.
22	Ronald John Cherella	Norwood	Patrick R. and Rose M.
24	Marcia Jeanne Laliberty	Norwood	Arthur L. and Rose V.
28	Deborah Dean Creasman	Boston	Malcolm D. and Barbara K.
30	Charles Arthur Rawson	Norwood	Charles E. and Marjorie L.
31	Ruth Anne Kannally	Norwood	John H. and Clara L.
September 2	Charles Francis Bailey, Jr.	Norwood	Charles F. and Mildred L.
2	Jean Marie Huntress	Norwood	Stephen P. and Bertha J.
6	James Donald Mercer	Norwood	James M. and Eleanor
9	James Joseph Hinchey	Boston	James J. and Louise N.
9	Sharon Yvonne Green	Norwood	Francis and Yvonne
9	Carolyn Evelyn Karafin	Boston	Albert I. and Geraldine
10	Jeremiah Thomas Delaney	Norwood	Daniel and Catherine
11	David Peterson	Norwood	William R. and Lillian M.
12	Eugene Carlan Florest	Norwood	Milton and Sophie
13	Bernice Louise Harrison	Norwood	Benjamin and Grace

Date of Birth 1946	Name of Child	Birthplace	Names of Parents
13	Russell Phillip Pepin	Norwood	Albert J. and Florence H.
13	Patricia Ann Hoglund	Norwood	Glen A. and Gladys
14	Marcia Lilian Heaton	Norwood	Charles D. and Lilian S.
15	Paul Gregory Lasky	Norwood	John V. and Alice J.
17	Marie Harriet Buckley	Norwood	James A. and Edna S.
19	Manuel Rodrigues Branco	Norwood	Joaquim R. and Mary S.
20	Kenneth Roland Robertson	Norwood	Alexander L. and Alice M.
21	Richard Philip Loder	Norwood	Phillip and Grace
25	Linda Lee Boynton	Brockton	Benjamin C. and Ruth L.
28	Kathleen Margaret Rogers	Norwood	William M. and Helen V.
29	Paul Alexander Gattoni	Norwood	John and Irene T.
October 3	Judith Bernice Allen	Norwood	Victor L. and Bernice N.
5	William Bothwell	Norwood	Robert F. and Rose E.
6	Patricia Ellen Lorusso	Norwood	Guy and Constance
6	Thomas Richard Parsons	Norwood	Thomas and Elizabeth J.
6	Robert Machio Del Signore	Norwood	Louis and Mary
8	Lytle Sherrerd Williams	Norwood	Lytle G. and Anne R.
10	Stillborn		
11	Joseph James Meomartino	Norwood	James and Esther
19	Judith Anne Holman	Norwood	Robert and Rita
24	Leanne Catherine Travers	Norwood	Edward J. and Mae S.
24	Jeffrey	Norwood	Jesse and Ruth
24	Richard Smith	Norwood	Lawyer V. and Dorothy
26	Francis Paul Collard	Norwood	Robert N. and Theresa P.
27	Frederick Lyle Collins, Jr.	Norwood	Frederick L. and Marion
27	Paul Arnold Boates	Norwood	Vincent W. and Margaret F.
29	Ronald Allen Carlson	Norwood	Fred V. and Barbara J.
31	Gail Olive Onion	Norwood	Edward F. and Annette
31	Edward Paul Utorka	Norwood	Anthony and Hedwig
November 3	Cheryl Narciso	Attleboro	Victor J. and Frances M.

BIRTHS—Continued

Date of Birth 1946	Name of Child	Birthplace	Names of Parents
14	Nancy Lee Johnson	Norwood	Robert S. and Grace
16	Donna Jean Harper	Norwood	Sutherland and Ann
18	Catherine Ann Foley	Norwood	Thomas and Marguerite
19	Francis Joseph Cassidy	Norwood	Francis L. and Margaret A.
20	Patricia Anne Burke	Norwood	James and Frances
21	Mary Jane Walker	Norwood	Jesse O. and Evelyn W.
22	Robert Edward Wagner	Norwood	Lawrence E. and Betty J.
23	Susan Mary Gingras	Norwood	Joseph H. and Lucienne
25	Kathleen Esther Smith	Norwood	Harold M. and Esther E.
26	Jane Carol Knight	Norwood	Paul I. and Jean E.
28	Kathleen Ann O'Neil	Norwood	Christopher F. and Edith A.
December 1	Stillborn		
1	Daniel Anthony Cherella	Norwood	Alphonse W. and Lucille I.
2	Albert Emil Berger	Norwood	Paul R. and Elsie A.
2	Paul Ernest Berger	Norwood	Paul R. and Elsie A.
2	James Patrick Keady	Norwood	Michael F. and Lillian G.
4	Guy Howard Ellis	Norwood	Fred J. and Isabelle M.
5	Rita Ruscetti	Norwood	Joseph J. and Anne R.
6	Roy Francis Lee	Norwood	Roy M. and Annie
6	Richard Alfred Ceruti	Norwood	Alfred P. and Mary A.
9	Sandra Lea Grover	Norwood	John T. and Mildred H.
11	David Warren Eddy	Norwood	Roy C. and Margaret M.
12	Anne Marie Medailleu	Norwood	John W. and Irma
13	Jean Catherine Arbachuk	Norwood	Michael T. and Catherine D.
13	Joseph William Forsyth	Norwood	William A. and Nellie A.
15	James Michael Lamonica	Norwood	Michael and Margaret
15	William Ward Hudson	Norwood	Kenneth H. and Frances A.
16	Sickinger	Norwood	Harry and Mildred
18	Judith Ann Buck	Norwood	Richard and Edna L.
20	Jeanie Ann Boyden	Norwood	Charles O. and Marion A.

Date of Birth 1946	Name of Child	Birthplace	Names of Parents
21	Susan Marsha Lipschitz	Norwood	Abe M. and Pearl
24	Valerie Martin Gould	Norwood	Frederick and Amy
24	Nancy Jean Sundquist	Norwood	Verner T. G. and Florence E.
27	Carol Ann Fillmore	Norwood	Harold L. and Barbara
29	Linda Ann Hall	Norwood	Robert S. and Catherine L.
31	Claire Buckley	Norwood	James E. and Alice T.

Total number of births recorded 183

MARRIAGES

Recorded in the Town of Walpole During the Year Ending December 31, 1946

Date 1946		Names	Residence	By Whom Married
January	1	Arthur William Freidinger	Iowa City, Iowa	Rev. Howard P. Bozarth
		Virginia Edith Banks	Walpole	Walpole. Mass.
	5	Charles Joseph Page	Niagara Falls, N .Y.	Rev. Paul V. Rattigan
		Annette Joan Davis	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	5	Donald Archer Sawyer	Walpole	Rev. Paul V. Rattigan
		Kathryn Mary Shorey	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	6	Alex Assad	Portage, Pa.	Rev. Frederick M. Walsh
		Katherine Veronica Donohue	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	9	Lawrence Elias Wagner	Hyde Park	Rev. John E. Morgan
		Betty Jane Koch	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	12	Thomas Joseph Kennedy	Wrentham	Rev. Bennet J. O'Brien
		Rita Veronica Dray	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	18	Archibald Hugh Steele	Walpole	Rev. Howard P. Bozarth
		Doris Pauline Keyes	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	19	Edward Fisher Onion, Jr.	Walpole	Rev. Paul V. Rattigan
		Tina Annetta Richardi	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	20	Algrid F. Pechulis	Walpole	Rev. James J. Kearns
		Lillian E. Masilionis	Dorchester	Fort Devens, Mass.
	20	Edward George Churchill	Walpole	Rev. Richard E. Howard
		Edna L. (Mace) Wilkinson	Walpole	Norwood, Mass.
	20	Paul Vernon Burns	Walpole	Rev. John E. Morgan
		Evelyn Louise Modig	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	24	Henry William Coffin	Walpole	Rev. Richard A. Wolff
		Ruth Helen Cassidy	Westwood	Westwood, Mass.
	25	Edmund Paul Smith	Walpole	Rev. George B. Gray
		Jennie Marie Bassignani	Franklin	Franklin, Mass.
February	2	Robert Francis Bothwell	Walpole	Rev. Frederick M. Walsh
		Rose Ellen (Hodge) Sabetti	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.

Date 1946		Names	Residence	By Whom Married
	9	Benjamin Carney Boynton	Mansfield	Rev. Wesley A. Mallery
		Ruth Louise Follett	Walpole	Mansfield, Mass.
	10	Frederick Niels Magnuson	Walpole	Rev. John J. Donlan
		Mary Eugene Gearon	Haverhill	Haverhill, Mass.
	15	Fred Victor Carlson	Norwood	Rev. L. Clarence Schroeder
		Barbara Jean Ellison	Walpole	Milton, Mass.
	17	Robert Joseph Neault	Walpole	Rev. Frederick M. Walsh
		Ruth Ann Maker	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	24	Saverio DeChellis	Walpole	Rev. Howard P. Bozarth
		Concetta (Iannamorelli) Lavella	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	24	A. J. Carleton Rafuse	Walpole	Rev. T. F. Wilkinson
		Evelyn J. Parnell	Everett	Everett, Mass.
	24	Walter Bennett Russell	Norwood	Rev. John E. Morgan
		Barbara Ella White	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
March	2	Donald Bruce Woods	Walpole	Rev. Paul V. Rattigan
		Marie Antoinette Ceglarski	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	2	Harry Marshall Angus	Walpole	Rev. Richard P. McClintock
		Barbara Anna Potter	Auburndale	Newton, Mass.
	6	Warren Tracy Dunn, Jr.	Walpole	Jessie D. Currier, J. P.
		Josephine Margaret Costello	Walpole	Boston, Mass.
	16	Robert W. Sloan	Foxboro	Rev. John Mason
		Deolinda Lawrence	Taunton	Walpole, Mass.
	31	Frank William Barrows	Walpole	Rev. Stanley M. Sargent
		Dorothy Marie Carlson	Norfolk	Norfolk, Mass.
April	2	Howard A. Clarke	Walpole	Rev. William F. English
		Luella Gertrude Clark	Walpole	Norwood, Mass.
	3	Evan Evans	Walpole	Rev. John E. Morgan
		Elizabeth (McKinley) Jamieson	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	3	Elwin Arthur Thompson	Walpole	Rev. Howard P. Bozarth
		Joyce Dion Smith	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.

MARRIAGES—Continued

Date 1946	Names	Residence	By Whom Married
6	Spencer Perry Wilkinson	Walpole	Rev. Egbert C. Prime
	Genevieve Hubbard	Pawtucket, R. I.	Pawtucket, R. I.
13	Everett Winfield Pyne	Norwood	Rev. John E. Morgan
	Marjorie Isabelle Dill	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
13	Earl Fawcett Gotwols	Philadelphia, Pa.	Rev. John E. Morgan
	Edna May Dill	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
14	Clarence Eddy Young	Walpole	Rev. William F. English
	Pearl May Johnson	Norwood	Norwood, Mass.
20	Charles Cosmo Stevens	Needham	Rev. Bennet J. O'Brien
	Margaret Elizabeth Jennings	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
20	Albert Ernest Priest	Norfolk	Rev. John Mason
	Martha Louise Ross	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
21	Robert A. Gilbert	Medfield	Rev. Bennet J. O'Brien
	Agnes Mae Sheehan	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
21	Edward Francis Walsh	Norwood	Rev. Bennet J. O'Brien
	Dorothy May Jarvis	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
21	James L. Nickerson	Walpole	Jessie D. Currier, J. P.
	Mildred Cecelia Demers	Walpole	Boston, Mass.
23	Ralph Boragine	Walpole	Rev. L. B. D'Aleno
	Francesca Pasqualina Conca	Providence, R. I.	Providence, R. I.
24	George Clark Barclay, Jr.	Upper Darby, Pa.	Rev. John E. Morgan
	Evelyn Rachael Larrabee	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
27	Michael Wanagel	Newburyport	Rev. Frederick M. Walsh
	Mary Louise Lestan	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
27	Merrill Edmund Jordan	No. Weymouth	Rev. Bennet J. O'Brien
	Marion Frances Smith	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
27	Maurice Edward Ronayne, Jr.	Canton	Rev. Paul V. Rattigan
	Eleanor Therese Walsh	Norwood	Walpole, Mass.
29	Arthur Lawrence Smith	Walpole	Charles Eliot Worden, J. P.
	Mary Loretta (Fairbanks) Winslow	Walpole	Boston, Mass.

Date 1946		Names	Residence	By Whom Married
	30	Alfred L. Ferrante	Jamaica Plain	Rev. John E. Morgan
		Helen Jean Mutch	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	30	Lester Jerome Lynch	Norwood	Rev. Paul V. Rattigan
		Mary Frances Hayes	Norwood	Walpole, Mass.
May	4	William Armstrong Graham	Walpole	Rev. G. E. Johnson
		Martha Dorothy Anderson	No. Easton	No. Easton, Mass.
	4	Ahti Aimo Aho	Walpole	Rev. L. Clarence Schroeder
		Priscilla Small	Walpole	Milton, Mass.
	5	Anthony Ralph Stanavich	Walpole	Rev. Bennet J. O'Brien
		Josephine Mary Petrovek	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	11	Getulio Baldassari	Walpole	Rev. Frederick M. Walsh
		Maria (Paolantoni) Bernardini	Leominster	Walpole, Mass.
	12	Rocky Samuel Chiofar	Tyrone, Pa.	Rev. Paul V. Rattigan
		Phyllis Pauline Leo	Norwood, Mass.	Walpole, Mass.
	18	Arthur Thomas Sullivan	Walpole	Rev. Paul V. Rattigan
		Jane Frances Ceglarski	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	19	Anthony Joseph Capone	Walpole	Rev. James E. Sullivan
		Barbara Ann Raymond	Norwood	Norwood, Mass.
	19	Thomas Charles Mortimer	Dorchester	Rev. Paul V. Rattigan
		Ruth Norton Payson	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	19	Cranston Hathaway Godfrey	Walpole	Rev. Harold A. Stuart
		Caryl Letitia Besse	Wareham	Wareham, Mass.
	19	Joseph Maurice Fitzgerald	Norwood	Rev. Frederick M. Walsh
		Alexandria Mary Blazic	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	26	Frank Robert Slauzis	Walpole	Rev. Frederick M. Walsh
		Jeanne Bernie Peatfield	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	29	Percy R. Crocker	Norfolk	Rev. John Mason
		Ruth L. Hinton	Norfolk	Walpole, Mass.
	29	Theodore Delevan Wilson	Mansfield	Rev. Howard P. Bozarth
		Esther Ellen Rathbun	Mansfield	Walpole, Mass.

MARRIAGES—Continued

Date 1946	Names	Residence	By Whom Married
29	William Walter Bennett	Standish, Mich.	Rev. A. E. Rehnstrom
	Helen Mary Waltonen	Walpole	Norwood, Mass.
30	John Morton	Dover	Rev. J. Burford Parry
	Carolyn B. (Brehm) Parker	Walpole	Wellesley, Mass.
June 2	Fred Peter Clerici	Walpole	Rev. William C. Carroll
	Madeline Astell Paolucci	Norwood	Norwood, Mass.
8	Ross Jay Lepper	Walpole	Rev. A. E. Rehnstrom
	Dorothy Linnea Idman	Walpole	Norwood, Mass.
8	Joseph Francis Purpura	Walpole	Charles Eliot Worden, J. P.
	Josephine May Bader	Norwood	Boston, Mass.
8	Everett Littleden Olds, Jr.	Newton	Rev. Howard P. Bozarth
	Ann Elizabeth Frink	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
15	Charles Francis Doyle	Roslindale	Rev. John J. Hart
	Virginia Louise Wright	Walpole	Roslindale, Mass.
15	Chester Olice Gay	Walpole	Rev. John E. Morgan
	Alice Joan Coleman	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
15	Andrew Francis Costello	Norwood	Rev. Paul V. Rattigan
	Evelyn Clara Lawson	Easton	Walpole, Mass.
15	William Emery Brock	Alfred, Maine	Rev. Hugh MacCallum
	Priscilla Alden Gould	Walpole	Needham, Mass.
17	Francis Joseph Donahue	Walpole	Rev. Paul V. Rattigan
	Norma Stella MacDougall	Quincy	Walpole, Mass.
22	Henry Alfred Marden	Norwood	Rev. Hugh MacCallum
	Helen M. (Miner) Mazeika	Walpole	Needham, Mass.
22	Roscoe Albert Shorey	Walpole	Rev. George W. R. MacCray
	Edith Powell Merrill	Walpole	Sharon, Mass.
22	William Clifford Haggis	Dedham	Rev. Richard E. Howard
	Laura Charlotte Kohl	Walpole	Norwood, Mass.
22	John Leroy Lightbody, Jr.	Walpole	Rev. John Mason
	Phyllis Claire Patterson	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.

Date 1946		Names	Residence	By Whom Married
	22	Vincent Albert Palumbo	Medfield	Rev. Francis L. Shea
		Muriel Claire Boulter	Walpole	Medfield, Mass.
	22	Frederick Robert Silvestri	Walpole	Rev. C. P. Griffin
		Dorothy Louise Phalen	Norwood	Norwood, Mass.
	22	William Ezra Blanchard, Jr.	Franklin	Rev. Trueman J. Menadue
		Pearl Bernise Center	Walpole	Franklin, Mass.
	23	Frank Paul Salamone	Needham	Rev. Bennet J. O'Brien
		Concetta Anna Mariani	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	23	Michael Francis Coyne	Walpole	Rev. Paul V. Rattigan
		Grace Katherine Clarke	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	23	Eugene W. Anderson	Norfolk	Rev. Bennet J. O'Brien
		Mary C. Leary	Norfolk	Walpole, Mass.
	24	Robert William Byrnes	Dorchester	Rev. William F. English
		Dora Street	Walpole	Norwood, Mass.
	28	John Joseph Carey	Holyoke	Rev. James O. Eskridge
		Anne Shaw	Walpole	W. Roxbury, Mass.
	29	Hermon T. Barker	Walpole	Rev. John E. Morgan
		Pauline Rogers	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
July	1	William Henry Crosman	Walpole	Winthrop M. Southworth, J. P.
		Evelyn Grace Collins	Millis	Needham, Mass.
	4	Robert Peter Minichiello	Boston	Rev. Jordan M. Minichiello
		Mary Vera Silvi	Walpole	Columbus, Ohio
	5	Henry Morton Smith	Norwood	Rev. Edmund A. Miller
		Myrtle Cleo (Wiggin) Gustafson	Walpole	Norwood, Mass.
	6	Chester Allen Gove	Walpole	Rev. Carl F. Schultz
		Lurane Wells	Orleans	Barnstable, Mass.
	15	James Aloysius McDonald	Roxbury	Stephen J. Casey, J. P.
		Virginia May (Jewell) Lynds	Walpole	Wakefield, R. I.
	24	Thomas Paquette, Jr.	Walpole	Rev. Francis L. Shea
		Marie Agnes Horgan	Medfield	Medfield, Mass.

MARRIAGES—Continued

Date 1946		Names	Residence	By Whom Married
August	3	James David Walsh	Walpole	Rev. Bennet J. O'Brien
		Stella Joyce Bridges	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	3	Russell Edmond Nilson	Walpole	Rev. Charles L. Heuser
		Barbara Louise Bridge	Medfield	Fryeburg, Maine
	10	Thomas Rorrie	Westwood	Rev. Edwin P. Booth
		Mildred Edith Boyden	Walpole	Westwood, Mass.
	16	Leo Joseph Giandomenico	Walpole	Curtis S. Miller, J. P.
		Cecelia Yanco	Medway	Foxboro, Mass.
	18	Nicholas C. DeRosa	Boston	Rev. Bennet J. O'Brien
		Vera F. Presentato	Boston	Walpole, Mass.
	23	Edward Francis Sheehan	Walpole	Charles Eliot Worden, J. P.
		Alice Margaret Walsh	E. Boston	Boston, Mass.
	25	Kenneth Alva MacPherson	Brockton	Rev. Daniel J. Gilmartin
		Lena Ruth Crognalo	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	31	Richard Charles Worswick	Dedham	Rev. Hugh MacCallum
		Margaret Elizabeth Ryan	Walpole	Needham, Mass.
	31	Richard Edwin Plummer	Foxboro	Rev. Daniel J. Gilmartin
		Geraldine Marion Bencordo	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	31	Livingston Van De Water, Jr.	Fairfield, Conn.	Rev. Howard P. Bozarth
		Mary Ellen Chamberlain	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	31	John Edward Donnelly	Walpole	Rev. Egbert Steenbeck
		Marjorie Patricia Fitzgerald	Fairhaven	Fairhaven, Mass.
September	1	Leonard Paul Brady	Stoughton	Rev. James B. Ronan
		Theresa Ethel Doucette	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	1	Melvin Warner Tucker, Jr.	Walpole	Rev. Daniel J. Gilmartin
		Eva Frances Meomartino	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	7	Mario Francis Rossi	Walpole	Rev. Daniel J. Gilmartin
		Marie Rose Massarotti	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	7	Roy Stanley Milbury, Jr.	Brookline	Rev. Paul V. Rattigan
		Marion Rose Tichyno	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.

Date 1946	Names	Residence	By Whom Married
14	Francis Andrew Wereska	Stoughton	Rev. James B. Ronan
	Marjorie Ann Morrill	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
20	Thomas Bacon Doran	Amherst	Rev. Paul V. Rattigan
	Eleanor Helen Tichyno	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
21	Kenneth Ashton Keating	Mansfield	Rev. Paul V. Rattigan
	Joan Louise Proctor	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
21	Joseph Lewis Wissman	Hartford, Conn.	Rev. John E. Morgan
	Betty Anne Anderson	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
22	Edward Harold Smith	Norwood	Rev. James B. Ronan
	Ruth Elizabeth Hand	Norwood	Walpole, Mass.
27	Miles Stephen McNiff, Jr.	Franklin	Rev. Daniel J. Lombard
	Mary Gloria Verrochi	Walpole	Franklin, Mass.
28	Melvin Johnson White, Jr.	Sharon	Rev. Edmund A. Miller
	Jean Avonna Fielding	Walpole	Norwood, Mass.
October 5	Frederick Clark Webster	Canton	Rev. John E. Morgan
	Arlene Louise Miller	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
6	Edward Ernest Jackson	Philadelphia, Pa.	Rev. Bennet J. O'Brien
	Gertrude Mary McCarthy	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
12	Americo Peter Day	Mansfield	Rev. Paul V. Rattigan
	Sylvia C. Restaino	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
12	Herbert A. Bartlett	Walpole	Rev. Gilbert A. Potter
	Janet Isabelle Sawyer	Foxboro	Fitchburg, Mass.
19	Richard Fulton Steele	Walpole	Rev. James P. Dowling
	Rita Margaret Belcher	Foxboro	Foxboro, Mass.
26	Joseph Gabriel Murphy	Norwood	Rev. James B. Ronan
	Catherine Louise Uberti	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
26	Jacob Nielsen Frederiksen	Pennyan, N. Y.	Rev. Russell Dewart
	Phyllis Jacquelyn Stoddard	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
26	John Bell McDavitt	Walpole	Rev. William P. Castles
	Janet Therese Ryan	Norwood	Norwood, Mass.

MARRIAGES—Continued

Date 1946		Names	Residence	By Whom Married
	27	Rocco Joseph Grasso	Norwood	Rev. James B. Ronan
		Pauline Marie Sansone	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
November	2	Neil Cameron Morrison	Walpole	Rev. John Phillips
		Priscilla Mae Olson	Westwood	Westwood, Mass.
	2	Karl Harold Larson	Walpole	George F. Campbell, J. P.
		Barbara Anne Geehan	Walpole	Norfolk, Mass.
	8	Ernest Vincent Palumbo	Franklin	Rev. Noale J. Buker
		Harriet F. (Bennett) Lanphear	Walpole	Norwood, Mass.
	16	Elmer Parsons	Stoughton	Rev. Paul V. Rattigan
		Sarah Jane Ford	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	17	John W. Rosencrance	Norfolk	Rev. Bennet J. O'Brien
		Stacia G. Deptula	Norfolk	Walpole, Mass.
	17	Henry Everett Mattson	Norwood	Rev. Bennet J. O'Brien
		Theresa Marie Presentato	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	23	William Paul Harrison	Walpole	Rev. James E. Connelly
		Margaret Mary Walsh	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	24	John Stanley Kulbok	Norwood	Rev. Bennet J. O'Brien
		Helen Frances Petrovick	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	27	Willis Joseph Hadley	Blackstone	Rev. Edward F. Smiley
		Ruth Myrtle Reid	Walpole	Blackstone, Mass.
	28	Frederick Earl Baldwin	Foxboro	Rev. John Mason
		Barbara Minnie Young	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	30	Ralph David Cashen	Norwood	Rev. Paul V. Rattigan
		Dorothy Louise Kelly	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
December	20	Marian Lawrence Kissell	Walpole	Arthur A. Tremblay, J. P.
		Rose Craig Douglas	Walpole	Nashua, N. H.
	23	Andrew M. Shackelford	Orlando, Fla.	Rev. Howard P. Bozarth
		Forina Ann DeChellis	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	25	Francis Horace Hurd	Walpole	Rev. John E. Morgan
		Phyllis Marion (Mott) Miller	Walpole	Walpole, Mass.
	28	Charles Francis Barrows	Walpole	Rev. Roy B. Wintersteen
		Phyllis Marie Paulsen	Jamaica Plain	Roxbury, Mass.

Total Number of Marriages Recorded 135.

DEATHS

Recorded in the Town of Walpole During the Year Ending December 31, 1946

Date 1946		Name	Age		
			Yrs.	Mos.	Days
Jan.	5	Susanna Johanna Ellis	74	3	
	13	Franklin Allen Brummit	85	8	22
	19	Otis J. A. Dionne	59	6	
	20	Annie Bartlett	72	4	16
	22	Margreta Peterson	83		7
	24	Thomas Burke	77	10	
	25	John Bock	72	10	3
Feb.	3	Altje Haan	70	8	29
	14	Barbara H. Lindsay	84		
	20	Irving L. Cobb	60		
Mar.	15	Julia Marie Curran	85	2	6
	20	Nicolino Cellurale	57	11	15
	20	Earl C. Lepper	48	2	1
	24	Nancy Cosgrove	45		7
Apr.	3	Thomas A. Rogers	59		
	4	Robert Stillings Tanner		4 hrs.	30 min.
	7	Marie Madeline Everett	66		4
	8	Frances Lepper	46		
	13	Henry C. Brunelle	54		11
	15	John J. Forrest	38	10	
	20	Edward H. Taylor	65		
	20	Thomas Peatfield	79		
	26	William O'Reilly	50		
	27	Henry Knut Swanson	65	6	21
	27	Joyce D. Thompson	19	9	
	27	Nellie Campbell	57	9	20
May	1	Thomas Flynn	68	2	
	25	Samuel Eugene Bentley	83	6	8
June	2	Owen Christian Ferguson	63	5	4
	3	Percy Henry LeGay	58	8	25
	3	Margaret Lofgren	86		
	4	Jay Heath Wheeler	75	11	8
	7	Margaret T. Becker	52	10	18
	11	Joseph Koestner	58		
	20	Stillborn			
	29	Martha Laimutis Comendul	58		
July	7	Arnold Farrington Grover	57	7	18
	25	Maynard Terpstra	84	11	29
	26	Eugene William Cray	60	9	
Aug.	8	John Sigmund	70	8	
	11	Mabel Louise Clarke	79	9	19
	20	William J. Duffy	53	9	15
Sept.	1	James Anderson	77	6	5
	2	David Marshall	66	8	14
	22	Frieda Verbeck	42		
Oct.	2	Bertha M. Ambyom	66		
	2	Achille Bassignanio	64		
	5	Bessie C. Morris	71	8	6
	9	Ernest William Swedberg	50	6	1
	10	Stillborn			
	12	Andrew B. Douglas	76	6	18

DEATHS—Continued

Date 1946		Name	Age		
			Yrs.	Mos.	Days
	13	Elizabeth M. Adams	72	2	2
	15	Evelyn Ann Tarchea	9		19
	18	Jane Clark	80	1	7
	19	Rebecca Elizabeth Adams	79	6	2
	23	Annie Frances Moore	80	8	
	24	George D. Smith	59	2	
	24	Stillborn			
Nov.	1	Catherine Lowney	84		
	10	Concetta Farinacci	52		
	14	Mary F. Lewis	91	3	9
	14	Lizzie Mon Durkee	81	5	25
	19	David E Welch	51		
	22	Mary A. McDavitt	68		
	25	John Turco	65		
	26	Leon Edwin Blaisdell	76		
	27	Ethel Pearl Plummer	55	10	8
	29	Catherine Mason	71		
Dec.	1	Stillborn			
	9	Ernest Gregory Giles	46	4	29
	9	Louis A. Campana	58		
	28	Victor Sickinger	59	7	7
	28	Henry James Buck	76	1	9

Total Number of Deaths Recorded 73

Of this number 28 were Walpole residents who died in Walpole; 43 were Walpole residents who died out of town; 2 were non-residents who died in Walpole.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT . . .

School Committee and Its Officers

James Buffington, Jr., Chairman ..... Term Expires 1947
James Riordan, Secretary ..... Term Expires 1947
Edward Holmes ..... Term Expires 1949
(Mrs.) Mary Lou Wright ..... Term Expires 1948
Walter Barnes ..... Term Expires 1948
Ernest Coleman ..... Term Expires 1949

The regular monthly meeting of the School Committee is held in the committee room in the Plimpton School, at 7:45 P. M. on the first Monday of each month.

Superintendent of Schools ..... ARTHUR C. JONES
Residence, 52 Massachusetts Ave., Walpole Telephone 531

Clerk ..... MARION H. CLANCY

Office Hours: Office open in charge of clerk 8 to 12 and 1 to 5, except on Saturdays.

Schools

High School—Telephone 331-R Principal—H. A. Strout
Plimpton School—Telephone 243-W Principal—L. F. Downs
Stone School—Telephone 196-M Principal—Florence Wentworth
Bird School—Telephone 62-M Principal—John F. Powers
Boyden School—Telephone 129-M Principal—Marion McCollum
Fisher School—Telephone 334-J Principal—Edith B. Adams

School Physicians

T. M. Connell, M. D. E. R. DeRoma, M. D. F. H. Fuller, M. D.

School Nurse

Alice L. Downing, Residence, 10 Riverside Place, Walpole, Mass. Telephone 637-M

Attendance Officer

Chief of Police—L. S. Thompson

Janitors

Bird School—M. J. Ahearn, Karl Hertel
Boyden School—Julia Martin
Fisher School—Lillian Salomaa
High School—Samuel Lindsay, Lena Metcalf, J. T. Delaney
Plimpton School—James Hennessey
Stone School—William Burton

School Calendar—1946

Second Term began January 2, 1946—ended February 15, 1946
Third Term began February 25, 1946—ended April 12, 1946
Fourth Term began April 22, 1946—ended June 19 ,1946
First Term began September 4, 1946—ended December 20, 1946

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE . . .

The School Committee presents this report for the year ending December 31, 1946, together with the report of our Superintendent.

At the first regular meeting, the following officers were elected: James Buffington, Jr., Chairman, and James Riordan, Secretary, and the following Committees were appointed:

Executive Committee
Mr. James Riordan, Chairman
(Mrs.) Mary Lou Wright
Mr. Ernest Coleman

Textbook Committee
(Mrs.) Mary Lou Wright, Chairman
Mr. Ernest Coleman
Mr. Walter Barnes

Transportation Committee
Mr. Walter Barnes, Chairman
Mr. James Riordan
Mr. Edward Holmes

Committee on Teachers
(Mrs.) Mary Lou Wright, Chairman
Mr. James Riordan
Mr. Edward Holmes

Committee on Health and Physical Education
Mr. Edward Holmes, Chairman
Mr. Walter Barnes
Mr. James Riordan

Buildings Committee
Mr. Ernest Coleman, Chairman
(Mrs.) Mary Lou Wright
Mr. Edward Holmes

(The Chairman is a member ex-officio of all committees)

The regular meetings of the School Committee are held on the first Monday of each month at 7:45 P. M. in the School Committee room in the Plimpton School. It is the wish of the Committee that anyone having suggestions, problems, or desiring information on school affairs appear before the Committee when it is in session.

Done in 1946

BIRD—
1. Weatherstripping of windows completed.
2. Window-caulking completed.
3. Electric outlets installed in Shop.
4. Six smoke-screens installed.

BOYDEN—
1. Interior and exterior painted.
2. Oil-heating re-installed.
3. One smoke-screen installed.

FISHER—
1. Two bubblers installed.
2. Fluorescent lights installed in three classrooms.
3. Two smoke-screens installed.

HIGH—
1. Shrubs planted at front of auditorium.
2. Concrete platform constructed for ashes-removal.
3. Driveway at north end of building constructed.
4. One smoke-screen installed.

PLIMPTON—

1. Interior painted.
2. Top of air-well repaired.
3. Driveway at south end of building constructed.
4. Front entrance repaired.
5. Stairwell encased as a smoke-screen.

STONE—

1. Interior painted.

ATHLETIC FIELD—

1. Running track lined and filled.
2. Ground outside track loamed and seeded.

Safety Measures—Following the recommendations and requirements of the State Building Inspector, one or more smoke-screens have been installed in all school buildings except the Stone School. Additional exits are being planned for the Fisher School. Doorways connecting classrooms have been cut at the Plimpton School. The purpose of the above measures is to provide at least two methods of egress to out-of-doors from each classroom. The stage curtain at the Boyden School has been flame-proofed.

The Committee has set up definite rules and regulations for adequate fire-drills.

Playground Equipment—The Committee believes that school playgrounds should be provided with playground equipment. The Committee with the help of the physical education teacher has studied the types of equipment which are available in relation to their suitability for our children and the character of our playgrounds. The Committee plans to install some equipment in 1947 and intends to make provision for additions in following years.

Improvement in Athletic Equipment—Sports are an accepted and important part of our educational plan. We have the following coached sports: Baseball, Basketball, Field Hockey, Football, Golf, Ice Hockey and Track.

The proper equipment of boys and girls for these sports is an important and expensive task. Many of these sports are not self-supporting. The Committee, with the cooperation of the High School Principal, Faculty Adviser and Coaches, has embarked on a definite program of financial support for high school athletics. This program recognizes the following items:

1. Size of team and squad.
2. Amount of existing equipment.
3. Equipment needed immediately in order to equip entire squad.
4. Needed amount for annual replacements.
5. Estimated costs for these steps.

6. Setting up of Budgets against which each Sport may requisition.

Replacement of Present Stone School—The School Committee has long recognized the need for replacing the old building with a new one which would meet the requirements of modern education. The Committee brought this matter to the attention of the Annual Town Meeting in 1946. The Town voted to appoint a Committee to Study the Need for a New Stone School. That Committee has completed the task for which it was appointed and will report to the Annual Town Meeting in 1947.

New Program for the High School—In order to assist the Principal and Teachers in maintaining high levels of learning and of discipline, the Committee formulated and put into effect a program which provides for daily afternoon make-up periods, and for needed help to pupils.

Receipts on Account of Schools

Town of Norfolk, tuition	$5,517.17	
City of Boston, tuition	1,195.77	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, vocational education	547.89	
Rentals and Miscellaneous receipts	483.70	
		$7,744.53

Financial

Appropriation	$244,924.00	
		$244,924.00

Expenditures

General Control	$7,731.53	
Instructional Service	177,711.61	
Operation of Plant	25,356.41	
Maintenance of Plant	2,781.54	
Capital Outlay	2,031.83	
Auxiliary Agencies	11,256.19	
Transportation	17,768.90	
		$244,924.00
Unexpended Balance	$285.99	

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS . . .

Enrollment: This Table shows our School Enrollment for the past fifteen years.

Table I

	Grades 1-6	Grades 7-8	Grades 9-12	Total
1932	978	289	511	1778
1933	992	301	537	1830
1934	951	275	536	1762

1935	940	277	570	1787
1936	939	286	550	1775
1937	909	285	579	1773
1938	901	284	568	1753
1939	893	300	577	1770
1940	883	288	577	1748
1941	883	280	589	1752
1942	856	279	547	1682
1943	854	266	509	1629
1944	801	261	460	1522
1945	850	271	441	1562
1946	878	260	467	1605

Other Tables and Statistics: Tables and Charts giving information regarding teachers, enrollment, and costs will be found on pages following the Reports by various school officials and supervisors.

Textbooks: The following textbook was adopted for use in High School—"Economics in Everyday Life" by Rubles.

Restoration of Shopwork for Grade 6: A re-arrangement of courses has made it possible for us to resume the teaching of woodworking for the boys of our Sixth Grades.

Modification of Shop Courses in High School: Practical Arts has been a regular four-year Course for several years. In this Course, a boy has had 2 periods a day, four days a week, of woodworking, and a double period one day a week for mechanical drawing. This year, lumber for school shops has been so scarce that we have been obliged to shorten shop work to three days a week, and to increase the mechanical drawing to two days a week.

Boyden School Closed for Two Months: Due to a broken boiler, the two classrooms were transported daily during parts of January, February, and March to the Plimpton School where their regular teachers conducted their classes as usual. When the boiler was repaired, a return to oil-heating was also arranged.

Professional Improvement Courses: In 1945, the School Committee installed a plan for salary increments based on professional advances. The plan proved to be very attractive to the teachers of our school system. During 1946, teachers of all our schools took professional courses at the college level. Names of teachers and Courses taken appear on another page of this Report.

Personnel Changes: Two of our teachers who had military leaves of absences returned to teaching in September. These are Mr. Tokaz who teaches in Grades 7-8 of the Plimpton School, and Mr. John Davidson who teaches at the High School.

Two of our teachers, Mr. Morse and Miss Frye, retired from teaching after long, successful careers. Each had taught many years in Walpole.

Our High School sustained a serious loss in the death of Arnold Grover. Mr. Grover had been in charge of Shop work for many years. We had learned to have great confidence in his judgment and knowledge of what constituted the best in manual arts procedures. Under his direction, boys acquired skills in handwork, ability tc plan and execute, and to appraise the quality of their own workmanship.

Mr. George Conaty has replaced Mr. Grover. Mr. Conaty has taught our Junior High School classes in manual training for several years.

Mr. Lewis Whipple has been employed to take charge of the work in Grades 6, 7, and 8.

Miss Carolyn Towle, teacher at the Fisher School, has been obliged to resign because of poor health.

Other changes in our staff are listed on a later page of this Report.

Guidance Department: This department consists of two teachers, a man and a woman. The word "guidance" indicates in a general way the nature of the work of this department. An attempt is being made to offer both educational and vocational guidance to pupils of the High School. While Mr. Davidson works with special reference to the problems presented by boys, and while Mrs. Bullock deals specifically with problems raised by girls, both are in touch with the industries of Walpole with the purpose of increasing the efficiency of our graduates and making easier their entrance into life's work.

First steps in their work have been along the line of developing a pupil-inventory. Before guidance can be effective, it is necessary to know the abilities, present and prospective, of every boy and girl. The compiling of this inventory of the knowledge and capacities of the pupils is accomplished through a Testing Program and through individual conferences.

In a comparatively short time, we feel that we shall be able to extend this service downward, so as to include Grades Seven and Eight.

Hot Lunch Program at Bird School: A small cafeteria has been set up in the room which was formerly used as a cooking room of the Household Arts

Department. The equipping of this room has been the result of joint effort by School Department and the Bird School Parent-Teacher Association. The School Department has furnished the counter, refrigerator, dishes, cooking equipment and utensils. The Parent-Teacher Association constructed the tables and benches. The Parent-Teacher Association is also undertaking the preparation and serving of hot dishes, etc., for the year 1946-1947.

The cooking room has been combined with the sewing room in a highly satisfactory manner.

Improvement of Reading: Reading is, of course, the most important subject in a school curriculum. Poor reading ability slows up progress in any other subject. The entire staff of teachers of both elementary and high school has started studies which we hope will tend to improve our teaching and increase the reading abilities of our pupils. These steps have already been taken—

1. Teachers of Grades 1 and 2 have formed a Committee to study most recent developments in textbooks and methods in Primary reading.
2. Teachers of Grades 3, 4 and 5 have formed a Committee to study ways of improving reading in the Intermediate Grades.
3. Teachers of Grades 6, 7 and 8 have formed a Committee to make similar studies in those Grades.
4. Opportunities have been provided for Senior High School teachers to observe the teaching of reading in the elementary grades. The aim here is to enable upper grade teachers to know what boys and girls are taught before their entrance into the secondary school.

Other steps will be taken during the year to help teachers keep pace with improvements in methods and techniques. The ultimate aims are, of course, the helping of our pupils.

In Grades One and Two, Reading is almost an end in itself, but from the Third Grade up, Reading becomes a tool for the acquisition of knowledge. Reading for pleasure should be stimulated and maintained. The slow or inaccurate reader misses a lot of the good things of life.

Additional Classroom at Fisher School: In the Fall of 1946, the enrollment of the Grades 1-2 Room at the Fisher School increased to the point where it became necessary to divide the room into two rooms. The organization of the Fisher School is now:—

Grade One	Teacher position unfilled.
Grade Two	Teacher position unfilled.
Grades Three-Four	Mrs. Kannally
Grades Five-Six	Mrs. Adams

Teacher Shortage: It is futile to go into the causes of the present shortage of teachers. It is sufficient to note that teachers are not available to fill our vacancies. As of December 31, 1946, three elementary classrooms are being taught by substitute teachers. These positions will be filled with permanent teachers as fast as good teachers can be found.

The Teacher and Her Salary: Teachers here and in many other communities are asking for higher salaries. Several factors enter into this situation.

1. **Rise in cost of living.**
   Increase in cost of the necessities of life is always a potent argument.
2. **Increase granted to Labor.**
   Teachers are aware of the sizeable increases demanded and secured by other workers all over the country. Teaching has always been notoriously underpaid.
3. **Equal pay for equal work.**
   Legislation has responded to this demand and has made voting on this matter compulsory.
4. **The single-salary schedule.**
   Tradition has provided that teachers in High School have received higher salaries than teachers of the elementary grades. If there was ever any justification for this policy, that justification has now disappeared.
   Women graduating from the Teachers Colleges now come to us with Bachelors Degrees, and who is to say that the work of the elementary school teacher is less difficult or less important than the work of an upper grade teacher!
5. **Professional Status—**
   A widespread effort is being made by teachers' organizations to raise teaching to the professional level which it deserves. The educational background and training required of teachers today, plus the necessity for taking professional improvement courses, together with the important place teachers hold in the training of youth for future citizenship, entitles teaching to be held in high esteem and on a level enjoyed by other professions. The remuneration at present is far below the level envisioned by current professional aspirations.

ARTHUR C. JONES,
Superintendent of Schools.

PRINCIPAL OF HIGH SCHOOL . . .

The enrollment of the school is slightly larger this year and the membership of the classes on December 20 was as follows:

Freshmen	132	Senior	112
Sophomore	118	Post-Graduate	1
Junior	97	Total	460

A comparison of this enrollment with that of the last five years is shown:

1941-42	1942-43	1943-44	1944-45	1945-46
589	537	510	454	434

The different classes taught in the school with the enrollment in these classes and the average class size is given in the following chart:

	Enrolled	Average Size
English IV	116	29
English III	110	20
English II	117	23
English I	110	27
Latin III and IV	8	8
Latin II	34	17
Latin I	55	27
French III	16	16
French II	24	12
French I	49	16
Spanish III	7	7
Spanish II	28	28
Spanish I	47	23
Solid Geometry	12	12
Trigonometry	12	12
Algebra II	37	18
Plane Geometry	57	28
Algebra I	81	27
Shop Mathematics II	14	14
Shop Mathematics I	19	19
Biology	66	33
Chemistry	62	20
Physics	33	16
History II	43	21
History I	30	15
U. S. History	113	28
Civics	115	23
Economics	31	15
Social Problems	17	17
Problems of Democracy	21	21
Geography	37	18
Commercial Arithmetic	60	20
Business Training	42	21
Bookkeeping II	18	18
Bookkeeping I	37	18

Stenography II	14	14
Stenography I	27	13
Transcription	14	14
Typewriting III	13	13
Typewriting II	42	21
Typewriting I	81	27
Foods and Clothing I and II	21	21
Home Management	20	20
Home Making	21	10
Woodworking	60	20
Mechanical Drawing	62	20
Physical Training—Girls	106	21
Physical Training—Boys	83	16
Art	60	12
Glee Club	102	25
Orchestra	16	16

We have several veterans who have returned to school with a serious attitude toward school work. They are all doing well in their studies and show a sincere desire to obtain a diploma.

The work in guidance has been increased by assigning two teachers to this department. Their work consists of giving tests, and interviews, and group discussions with all pupils in the school.

We continue to benefit from the interest of the Walpole Mothers' Club which has supplied us with some excellent speakers for assembly programs.

In modern secondary education, an attempt is made to train the activities of the "whole" pupil. Our program of studies consists of five courses which are designed to meet the needs, interests, and abilities of many different types of pupils. How well we succeed in this part of education may be judged by the continued high standard of class A rating which the school possesses. Our program of athletic and physical work tends to train the pupil to make use of the physical body to its greatest efficiency. Literary activities are available, for interested students, in the school magazine and yearbook. Art courses are offered to all pupils interested in them and musical interests may be satisfied by the glee club and orchestra. Social contacts and training are provided by the many dances held during the school year.

These varied activities have as their purpose the primary objective of all school education—good school citizenship, for the good school citizen invariably becomes the good citizen of the community.

I wish to thank Mr. Jones and the teachers for cooperation throughout the year.

HAROLD A. STROUT,
Principal of the High School.

SUPERVISOR OF ART . . .

The writing of an annual report is a review of achievement which makes for an awareness of goals and their attainment.

The art lessons have resulted from an attempt to combine traditional practices with the most valuable of the progressive procedures. Leon L. Winslow, Director of Art, Baltimore, has defined his subject as "an organized body of educational experience dealing with the meeting of human needs as effectively as possible through the use of materials." He has also emphasized the fact that we are "no longer satisfied merely with instruction in drawing and design, but have come to realize that one who appreciates art in a broader sense and who uses his knowledge of the subject from day to day in living gets a great deal more out of life . . ." We, in accordance with this modern trend, have subordinated formal instruction of art experiences which tend to develop self-reliance and the ability to think. The teachers of the first six grades have adapted their lessons to the needs and interests of the children, but have also included the essentials of a basic cutline.

The junior high school work, instead of being of an exploratory nature, has been divided into two sections. The seventh grade pupils have acquired a general knowledge of lettering and design in preparation for high school activities. The eighth grade time has been divided between a survey of art through the ages and the principles of perspective.

Advanced art planned for high school classes has afforded opportunities for each person to progress, limited only by his ambition. An assortment of supplies has enabled students to express their ideas in many different ways. The school year, therefore, has passed quickly while all have been busy creating to satisfy their own needs and those of others who have asked for their assistance. Several posters have been made to announce school events. Special attention has been given to the assigning of pictorial signs explaining the importance of food in relation to the development of strong teeth. After a temporary discontinuance of the customary painting of the Christmas windows, that project has been undertaken again this year. The many students whose efforts are represented have enjoyed the experience. Several designs were submitted and by voting four were selected for use in the high school building. The others were distributed among the sixth grade classes so that, for the first time, the children of the elementary grades have been included in the attempt to express to the community the beauty of the Christmas season.

The participation of all members of the school department has made possible whatever has been accomplished during 1946. It has been a pleasure to work with everyone.

HELENA M. SAUNDERS

PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND PHYSICAL TRAINING . . .

The physical education program is planned to accomplish certain aims and objectives.

1. The curriculum is designed to develop within the student an appreciation of body fitness; to provide vigorous muscle activity which is essential for the growth and development of the various organic systems, as well as an opportunity to acquire skills that may be utilized outside of school.
2. An attempt is made to develop a set of appreciations for things well done, for fine ideals and attitudes, that the winning of the game is not the all-important.
3. A wide repertoire of recreational skills is included to enable the individual to function better socially. It is a well established fact that the average adult will not participate in activities in which he has not had some previous experience.
4. Cooperation with all other phases of school life is essential in order to develop an individual who is capable physically and mentally, adjusted socially and stable emotionally.

During the child's school career, every department within the school has the same ultimate objective, that of educating the "whole child". Thus pressure from several areas have their effect upon the total education process.

DOROTHY L. SHEPARD

MUSIC SUPERVISOR . . .

Participation in both vocal and instrumental music is generally agreed to be a strong factor in the stimulation of thought and action. Music fosters friendliness, sociability and understanding and it plays a great part in developing the well-founded, poised personality. It is rightful to say that good music supplies the inspirational impetus which encourages cultural and emotional reactions to life's experiences and brings beauty to everyday living.

This ideal can be most successfully achieved when we give the best music to the child in the elementary school. In our grade schools there is a great need for better music, songs which have more lasting qualities, songs which the children would want to sing throughout their whole lives, namely: the world's best folk songs, well arranged and songs by Schubert, Schumann, Bach and Brahms. There is also a great need for a fine record library in each school and good electric players, so that the children may hear the finest recorded music. We shall hope to supply these needs as soon as the school budget will allow.

Playing an instrument gives students an added stimulus in singing and tends to make happier singers as well as enthusiastic instrumentalists. Every boy and girl should have an opportunity to learn to play an instrument, and lessons should be taught in all the instruments of the orchestra. As the school year progresses, we shall add new instrumental teachers to our staff and make this kind of instruction possible.

In both the Junior and Senior High Schools, choral practice is offered to all students and we are pleased with the large enrollment. Courses are also offered in music appreciation and history, and later on we shall hope for courses in ear-training and musical theory. Students have been encouraged to attend concerts and many have availed themselves of the opportunity of hearing the Boston Symphony Youth Concerts.

As a word to parents—music should be implanted in the hearts of our children long before public instruction begins. As a first step, there should be a revival of home singing. Children should be so accustomed to participating in music that they will not be satisfied when it is denied them. It is our task to point the way to future mothers and fathers whom we are now training in the High School.

FREDERIC KEMPF,
Supervisor of Music.

SUPERVISOR OF HOUSEHOLD ARTS . . .

The instruction of sewing in Grade 6 last year shows excellent results in the seventh and eighth grade work of this year. The skill acquired in the early years of handling the treadle as well as electric machines is noticeably shown in all of the work of grades seven and eight.

By transferring a sewing machine to each grade school building, the beginners had the opportunity this year of making their first problems with the aid of a machine and have done extremely well on their second and third problems.

The work placed on exhibit at some of the P. T. A. meetings in November, although not complete so early in the year, gave a brief glimpse of the work of our future homemakers.

The foods program in grades seven and eight gave the girls the essential points in buying, preparing, and serving foods to promote good health.

To Mr. Jones and the School Committee Miss Schueler gives thanks for the renovation at Bird School of the Sewing Room to a combination Sewing-Cooking Room. The girls are eagerly awaiting the next half year to enjoy the use of the new equipment.

In the Household Arts course for grades nine and 10, although both food and clothing supplies were scarce, and difficult to ob-

tain, the classes had opportunities to fulfill all their requirements by making substitutions. For example, in the clothing classes we found good materials most difficult for them to purchase in which case they renovated several garments to take care of the same problem.

Our health and dietetics course had an excellent enrollment which proves that the girls are interested in good health and how to keep it. The girls in the home management class have completed their fundamental work in locating a site and selecting a home, and are now studying furniture and furnishings.

The outstanding activity carried on by the homemaking class was a hobby show open to anyone from grades seven through twelve. The excellent display and large attendance was more than gratifying.

The enrollment in all these classes has greatly increased this Fall.

The cooking class for boys had to be discontinued this last Fall because of a change in the teaching program. There have been many boys asking for the continuation of the class.

DORIS MAXFIELD,
Supervisor of Household Arts.

SUPERVISOR OF MANUAL ARTS . . .

The work in the woodworking shops at the High School and the Bird School has progressed this year, despite serious shortages of supplies and materials which are necessary in the operation of any Manual Arts Shop. Economy must be practiced and projects chosen with care so that each student may make something which will prove useful. These projects, while relatively small in comparison with pre-war years, are interesting and varied, and measure up to the standards of precision which denote conscientious workmanship. Many school repair jobs were handled throughout the year, saving the Town many dollars' worth of equipment.

The shop program of the Junior American Red Cross was completed last year and shipped to Red Cross Headquarters. The total commercial value of these projects for the Veterans' Hospitals amounted to approximately one thousand dollars. If materials can be obtained, a series of hospital projects will again be built in our shops this year.

Mr. Lewis E. Whipple was appointed again to teach shop-work in the grades. After a five year lapse, the boys of the various sixth grades in the Town, again are taking shop courses, and the eighth grade time has been restored to its original period of three hours a week. There now remains the task of restoring shop-work and mechanical drawing to the high school boys enrolled in the Civic Arts Course. To achieve this, it is necessary to employ

another shop instructor. We would then be staffed as we were five years ago. This new man could handle the metal shop also, if and when it is equipped. I hope the above can be accomplished in the near future.

GEORGE H. CONATY,
Supervisor of Manual Arts.

PHYSICIAN FOR THE BOYDEN AND STONE SCHOOLS . . .

I have completed the general physical examinations of the children in both schools. Notices of the physical defects have been recorded by the school nurse and sent to the parents. The parents have cooperated exceptionally well in correcting the physical defects of their children. The lack of certain essential foods necessary to the growth and health of children during the past difficult years has manifested itself in some children. With food more plentiful now, I hope that these conditions will correct themselves.

Our capable School Nurse, Alice Downing, has been efficient in checking all absentees and also in bringing special health problems to me.

Our school janitors are doing a fine job in keeping our school buildings both sanitary and clean.

EDWARD R. DeROMA, M. D.
School Physician

PHYSICIAN FOR THE HIGH AND PLIMPTON SCHOOLS . . .

Complete physical examinations were made on all of the children. Defects were noted by me and recorded by Miss Downing, our efficient School Nurse. Furthermore, follow-up work was carried on by her.

She reported her successes and failures to me. In several instances I made special visits to the parents and convinced them that they should have the physical defects in their children corrected. In some cases, children from homes where both parents were working in factories, were unkempt and dirty. Here again, the School Nurse made special visits to the parents.

We are still making progress on the road to good health.

THOMAS M. CONNELL, M. D.
School Physician

PHYSICIAN FOR THE BIRD AND FISHER SCHOOLS . . .

The procedure of former years has been carried out during the school year 1945-46. The relative absence of abnormal throat and nose conditions as compared with former years and the better body poise and posture due to the continued vigilance of the

teachers and the well-planned and well-conducted physical exercises throughout the years, make the Walpole schools in these departments at least a model for other schools.

The principal lapse is in the homes, where the child is allowed to assume all manner of unhygienic positions without control and to partially undo the correctional body work that the school has taught. This particularly applies to rest in bed where the child may assume all manner of poor physical positions without correction, thus laying the foundation for poor physical development which may be impossible to change when he goes beyond the correctional powers of the school.

I would especially like to call attention to the conscientious care by the school nurse, Miss Downing, in her work of following up the cases of contagion in the homes and schools, thereby doing excellent work in eliminating the spread of contagion. The schools and the townspeople are particularly fortunate in this respect. In this way, pediculi and infectious skin diseases are reduced to a minimum. The town is also fortunate in the good work done in dental preventative work and treatments presided over and performed by Dr. Morale, school dentist, and Miss Bourassa, dental hygienist; also in the valued counsel of Dr. Davenport, who has very kindly donated much time to the work.

The departments given over to physical development and coaching under Mr. Graney, and Miss Wallace, and Miss Shepard, are doubtless not excelled by any school system in any town in the state the size of Walpole.

The high standing of the school system, I feel is being appreciated more and more, and the reputation of these departments being recognized even outside the state limits.

FREDERICK H. FULLER, M. D.
School Physician

THE SCHOOL NURSE . . .

Physical examinations were made by the school physicians. The examinations included special attention for the Juniors and Seniors in High School who participate in physical education each day, and the routine examination, for all the boys and girls engaged in competitive sports.

The results of the examinations in the High School were pleasing, indeed. They revealed that less than one-half of one per cent of all children in the Senior High School have any physical defect, and that practically every one of these children is under treatment.

This proves beyond a doubt, that we are definitely on the right track when we concentrate on the children attending the first six grades. We have always maintained that no child should get

beyond the sixth grade with any physical defect that could be corrected.

During the age of childhood, all children are more susceptible to the diseases of childhood, and many times the after effects of these diseases manifest themselves during adolescence, or at the High School age.

Constant vigilance and follow-up in childhood may prevent heart murmurs and other complications in adolescence. The efforts of our school physicians, plus the cooperation of teachers and parents have brought about the present conditions, and we are certainly pleased with the results.

Many of the children in the lower grades had received treatment and had corrective work done since the examinations a year ago.

A few children are receiving instructions in speech therapy, but there are several others who cannot be accommodated. We extend our thanks to the Red Cross Motor Corps who have taken care of all the transportation of these children.

I have welcomed the invitations to talk at the meetings of the Parent Teachers Associations during the year, as they present opportunities of meeting the parents, and also of group instruction and discussion. Such meetings are valuable to all.

ALICE L. DOWNING, R. N.

MEMBERSHIP—DECEMBER 31, 1946

Grade	Bird	Boyden	Fisher	High	Plimpton	Stone	Total
1	50	19	22		31	62	184
2	48	9	17		26	45	145
3	43	5	16		21	45	130
4	37	7	12		22	51	129
5	42	8	17		26	45	138
6	52	9	13		20	51	145
7	53				69		122
8	63				75		138
9				132			132
10				118			118
11				97			97
12				112			112
Post Graduates				1			1
Totals	388	57	97	460	290	299	1591
Corresponding Data Dec. 31, 1945	389	52	96	434	301	279	1551

SHOWING ANNUAL ENROLLMENT IN EACH GRADE

Dec. 31	Ungraded	Grades												Post Graduate	Totals
		I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII		
1937	12	161	137	153	136	164	146	155	130	157	148	137	132	5	1773
1938	14	179	132	142	143	126	165	138	146	150	150	134	130	4	1753
1939	14	181	143	136	139	151	129	161	139	167	140	137	130	3	1770
1940	12	169	151	136	144	140	144	138	156	150	161	131	130	9	1771
1941	12	165	149	145	132	151	129	144	136	183	142	138	119	7	1752
1942	10	148	153	138	143	131	143	132	150	131	156	121	127	1	1684
1943	12	144	140	145	134	145	131	144	122	155	127	130	96	1	1629
1944	9	157	118	139	150	127	152	134	125	124	128	100	100	2	1565
1945		160	142	127	142	148	126	144	128	125	111	119	79		1551
1946		184	145	130	129	138	145	122	138	132	118	94	112	1	1591

AGE GRADE TABLE — OCTOBER 1, 1946

Grade	Sex	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	Totals	
I	M	44	40	11	1														96	
	F	39	47	2															88	184
II	M		23	43	11	2													79	
	F		30	30	7	2													69	148
III	M			23	23	10	3		1	1									61	
	F			23	34	10		1											68	129
IV	M				22	27	5	5	3										62	
	F			1	25	27		4	1			1							59	121
V	M					16	23	12	6	2	1								60	
	F					23	39	10	4										76	136
VI	M						16	33	13	7	3								72	
	F						23	33	11	5	2								74	146
VII	M						1	20	27	12	2								62	
	F							18	28	7	2	2							57	119
VIII	M								19	27	19	7							72	
	F								23	31	8	3	1						66	138
IX	M									17	36	11	6	1					71	
	F									16	35	8	4	1					64	135
X	M									2	13	25	11	3					54	
	F									2	22	31	9						64	118
XI	M											10	29	6	4				49	
	F										1	11	33	6	1				52	101
XII	M												21	18	3			1	43	
	F												29	34	4	2			69	112
Post Graduates	M													1				1	2	
	F																		0	2
Totals	M	44	63	77	57	55	48	70	69	68	74	53	67	29	7			2	783	
	F	39	77	56	66	62	62	66	67	61	70	56	76	41	5	2			806	1589
Grand Total		83	140	133	123	117	110	136	136	129	144	109	143	70	12	2				1589

COMPARATIVE FINANCIAL STATEMENT—JANUARY TO JANUARY

	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946
General Control	$5,976.53	$6,495.56	$6,824.20	$7,633.13	$7,731.53
Teachers' Salaries	113,967.43	130,374.49	142,559.44	162,157.25	168,855.19
Text Books	3,239.03	3,259.92	3,401.38	3,077.68	2,896.99
Instructional Supplies	3,528.62	2,154.52	2,795.57	3,141.06	3,949.37
Other Instructional Service	893.32	798.54	990.60	858.18	1,157.70
Janitors' Salaries	11,800.41	14,058.07	16,516.88	18,464.24	18,618.58
Light, Power and Water	4,037.23	4,298.13	4,309.20	4,421.13	4,495.15
Janitors' Supplies	1,512.91	1,710.05	1,314.90	1,405.94	2,178.40
Services Other Than Personal	34.95	7.05	15.57	12.14	64.28
Maintenance of Equipment	811.80	1,212.00	1,034.53	3,000.73	2,781.54
Libraries	202.62	179.62	38.15	616.73	37.36
Health Service	3,123.25	3,583.48	3,781.34	3,909.34	5,763.95
Transportation	20,777.60	20,333.84	19,525.00	17,730.00	17,768.90
Recreation	905.04	718.28	881.24	1,531.72	3,451.32
Vocational Education and Tuition	779.03	644.61	903.93	1,019.02	2,003.55
Manual Arts	1,012.83	1,598.57	1,023.42	977.01	650.64
Domestic Arts	306.72	204.06	219.67	241.33	201.72
					2,031.83
Totals	$172,909.32	$191,630.79	$206,135.02	$230,136.63	$244,638.01

TEACHERS IN SERVICE, DECEMBER 31, 1946

School and Grade	Name	Where Educated	Year of App't. in Walpole
High School			
Headmaster			
Biology	Harold A. Strout	Bates College	1923
Sub-Master	Sheldon B. Goodrich	Amherst College	1931
Mathematics	Marjorie Sline	Regis College	1942
Science	John Broderick	Boston College	1938
Civics	Robert Graney	Boston College	1933
Guidance	Mary A. Bullock	Boston University	1944
Guidance	John Davidson	Boston University	1939
English	Dorothy Newcomb	Boston University	1930
English	Joan Hale	Emmanuel College	1934
Latin	Margaret Moore	Georgian Court College	1931
French	Mona Kennedy	Bates College	1939
History	M. Louise Darmedy	Brown University	1927
History	Thomas Riley	Holy Cross College	1942
Commercial	Margaret Kannally	Hyannis Normal	1931
Commercial	Beulah A. Thayer	Maine School of Commerce	1925
Commercial	Ella M. Howe	Boston University	1929
Household Arts	Doris Maxfield	Framingham Normal	1922
Modern Foreign Languages	Ernest Camelio	Harvard University	1938
Modern Foreign Languages	Elizabeth Ricker	Emmanuel College	1943
Physical Training	Mildred Wallace	Boston School of Physical Ed.	1923
Manual Arts	George Conaty	Fitchburg Normal	1928
Bird School			
Principal	John F. Powers	Boston College	1932
Grades VII & VIII	Elaine Flynn	Salem Teachers College	1944
Grades VII & VIII	Marguerite O'Donnell	Bridgewater Normal	1918

TEACHERS IN SERVICE, DECEMBER 31, 1946

School and Grade	Name	Where Educated	Year of App't. in Walpole
Grades VII & VIII	William Harrison	Dartmouth College	1946
Grade VI	Dorothy Wilber	Framingham Normal	1933
Grades V & VI	Eleanor Leger	Framingham Teachers College	1945
Grade V	Margaret Riley	Hyannis Teachers College	1943
Grade IV	Katherine Drea	R. I. College of Education	1930
Grades III & IV	Irene Woodward	Regis College	1946
Grade III	Loretta Walsh	Hyannis Normal	1918
Grade II	Mary Spillane	Framingham Normal	1932
Grades I & II	Marion Morse	Bridgewater Teachers College	1946
Grade I	Jean Roy	Bridgewater Teachers College	1942
Boyden School			
Principal			
Grades I, II, III	Marion McCollum	Fitchburg Normal	1935
Grades IV, V, VI	Substitute		
Fisher School			
Principal			
Grades V, VI	Edith Adams	Framingham Normal	1936
Grades III, IV	Teresa Kannally	Gorham Normal	1942
Grade II	Substitute		
Grade I	Substitute		
Plimpton School			
Principal	Leonard F. Downs	Boston University	1918
Grades VII & VIII	Mildred Noxon	Boston Teachers College	1946
Grades VII & VIII	John Tokaz	Mass. State College	1934
Grades VII & VIII	*Jeannette Wilcox	Framingham Teachers College	1938
Grades VII & VIII	Marguerite V. Kenney	North Adams Normal	1922
Grade VI	Liette Morin	Bridgewater Teachers College	1943

TEACHERS IN SERVICE, DECEMBER 31, 1946

School and Grade	Name	Where Educated	Year of App't. in Walpole
Grade V	Kathryn Langen	Fitchburg Normal	1922
Grade IV	Esther Seisig	Framingham Teachers College	1945
Grade III	Rosamond Patton	Hyannis Normal	1913
Grade II	Florence Shattuck	Lowell Normal	1930
Grade I	Alice O. Tarr	Wheelock Kindergarten School	1920
Stone School			
Principal	Florence Wentworth	Framingham Normal	1911
Grade VI	*Jeannette Wilcox	Framingham Teachers College	1938
Grade V	Alice Mansir	Castine Normal	1922
Grades IV & V	Helen Lane	Boston University	1942
Grade IV	Doris McMorrow	Bridgewater Teachers College	1943
Grade III	Elsie Driscoll	Hyannis Normal	1920
Grades II & III	Margaret Grady	St. Joseph's Teachers College	1946
Grade II	Marion Gallipeau	Bridgewater Teachers College	1944
Grade I	Ruth Lawton	Bridgewater Teachers College	1935
Grade I	Elizabeth Kilroe	Boston University	1945
Special Teachers			
Manual Arts	Lewis Whipple		
Domestic Arts	L. Louise Schueler	Framingham Normal	1929
Music	Frederick W. Kempf	Boston University	1946
Art	Helena M. Saunders	Massachusetts School of Art	1929
Physical Training	Dorothy L. Shepard	Boston University	1944

*—Half Time

COURSES TEACHERS HAVE TAKEN DURING CALENDAR YEAR OF 1946

Name of Teacher	Course	Where Taken
Margaret Riley	"Problems in Ed. Philosophy"	Boston College
	"Psychometrics"	Boston College
	"Seminar in Educational Psychology"	Boston College
Dorothy Wilber	"Biographies of Great Americans"	State Extension
Jean Roy	"Political Biographies"	State Extension
	"Music Appreciation"	State Extension
	"Improvement of Reading"	Boston University
Loretta Walsh	"Political Biographies"	State Extension
Irene Woodward	"Modern Trends in Education"	Boston University
Katherine Drea	"Political Biographies"	State Extension
Mary Spillane	"Improvement of Reading"	Boston University
	"Political Biographies"	State Extension
John Powers	"Political Biographies"	State Extension
Mildred Dolan	"Music Appreciation"	University Extension
	"Social Problems"	University Extension
	"Tests and Measurements"	University Extension
	"Spanish"	University Extension
	"Choral Speaking"	University Extension
	"Psychology of Adjustment"	University Extension
Ernest Camelio	"American Political Biographies"	Middlebury College
	"Methodology"	Middlebury College
	"Advanced Composition"	Middlebury College
Mary A. Bullock	"Principles and Techniques of Guidance"	Boston College
Beulah Thayer	"American Political Biographies"	University Extension
Mona Kennedy	"American Political Biographies"	University Extension
Margaret Moore	"Principles and Techniques of Guidance"	Boston College
	"Supervision"	Boston College
Dorothy Newcomb	"Principles and Techniques of Guidance"	Boston College
	"Supervision"	Boston College

COURSES TEACHERS HAVE TAKEN DURING CALENDAR YEAR OF 1946

Name of Teacher	Course	Where Taken
Margaret Kannally	"Improvement of Instruction in Typewriting"	Boston University
	"Improvement of Instruction in Shorthand"	Boston University
Ella Howe	"American Political Biographies"	University Extension
Dorothy L. Shepard	"Curriculum of Health and Physical Ed."	Boston University
	"American Group Dancing"	University of Wisconsin
	"Advanced Skill Techniques"	University of Wisconsin
	"Child Development (Adolescence)"	University of Wisconsin
	"Problems in Organization, Teaching and Adaptation in Physical Ed."	University of Wisconsin
	"Seminar in Research Studies in Physical Ed."	University of Wisconsin
	"Seminar in Health and Physical Education"	Boston University
Joan Hale	"American Political Biographies"	University Extension
M. L. Darmedy	"American Political Biographies"	University Extension
Thomas Riley	"American Political Biographies"	University Extension
Helena M. Saunders	"American Political Biographies"	University Extension
Eleanor Flynn	"American Political Biographies"	University Extension
Marjorie Sline	"American Political Biographies"	University Extension
Esther Seisig	"Music Appreciation 19th Century"	B. U. School of Music
Florence Shattuck	"American Political Biographies"	University Extension
Kathryn Langen	"American Political Biographies"	University Extension
Marguerite Kenney	"American Political Biographies"	University Extension
Jeannette A. Wilcox	"Improvement of Reading"	Boston University
Doris McMorrow	"Improvement of Reading"	Boston University
Helen B. Lane	"American Political History"	University Extension
	"Arts and Crafts in the Elementary Grades"	Boston University
Elizabeth Kilroe	"History of Educational Thought"	Harvard—Ed. M.—June 1946
Ruth M. Lawton	"Improvement of Reading"	Boston University
Margaret Grady	"History of American Education"	Boston University
Florence Wentworth	"American Political Biographies"	University Extension

Changes in Teaching Force
December 31, 1945 to December 31, 1946

Resignations

Carolyn Towle, because of poor health.
Dorothy Curran, to be married.
Charlotte Frye, retired.
Virginia Burke, to teach elsewhere.
Anna Brison, to teach elsewhere.
Phyllis Sherman, to teach elsewhere.
Frances Norton, to teach elsewhere.
Chilistine Negrotti, to be married.
Adelbert Morse, retired.
Philip Kravitz, to go into other work.

Elections

William Harrison, to teach at Bird School.
Irene Woodward, to teach at Bird School.
Marion Morse, to teach at Bird School.
Mildred Noxon, to teach at Plimpton Jr. High School.
John Broderick, to teach at High School.
Margaret Grady, to teach at Stone School.
Lewis Whipple, to teach Manual Training in Grades 6, 7 & 8.
Frederic W. Kempf, Music Supervisor.

Transfers

Jeannette Wilcox, to teach at Plimpton Jr. High and Stone.
Eleanor Flynn, to teach at High School.
George Conaty, Supervisor of Manual Arts.

Deceased.

Arnold F. Grover.

Graduating Class of 1946 . . .

Raymond Barstow
Elizabeth Ann Behrsin
Hazen Herbert Bishop
Edwin Bodge
Clement Anthony Boragine
Myron Ross Brennan
*Ellen Ruth Brest
Stanley Richard Buck
Marion E. Burns
Anthony Campagna
*Eleanor M. Campbell
Grace J. S. Candela
Mary Elizabeth Cecchi
Anthony A. Cerbo
Mary Josephine Cerbo
Charles B. Cole, Jr.
Nancy Comfort
Frank Joseph Costello
Martin Joseph Coyne
Alice Thelma Cummiskey
Alice Celine Curran
Lois E. Dahlstrom
Harold Alfred Daley
Alfred G. DeYoung, Jr.
Mary Elizabeth Dill
Albert Lionel Dorrwachter
George Everett Ellis
Russell F. Farmer

Ernest A. Kohl
Herbert Charles Lang
Thomas Edward Lazarovich
Baldwin B. Lee
Laurel Ann Liberty
John Peter Lippolis
Beatrice Louise Lowell
Cecilia M. Magnuson
Lucy Mae Mariani
Laura Ann Martin
Grace Marjorie Mills
Muriel Olive Moore
*William Francie Murphy, Jr.
Donald Lewis McLean
Mary J. Nicastro
John H. Noonan
Alice Ann Ostrom
Betty Angela Paglari
Phyllis Claire Patterson
Sally Ann Peebles
Walter Smith Pember
Marie Patricia Petracca
Betty Mabel Petroni
Emil John Petrovick
Mario Louis Presentato
Wilma Gertrude Fish
Claire V. Gallagher
*Antoinette Marie Gelso
Mary Ann Giampietro
Robert W. Grover, Jr.
Beryl Marie Guttormsen
Clinton F. Hanscom, Jr.
Joan A. Hathaway
Evelyn Jean Hayes
*Helena Mary Hazlett
Nils A. Idman
*Frederick Albert Johnson
Phyllis Evelyn Jonah
Marilyn Louise Kambour
Barbara Ann Keany
Helen May Quackenbush
*Elizabeth Ellis Quimby
Eleanor May Reynolds
Francis Joseph Sansone
George Stephen Saunders
Charles Vincent Simon
Olga Victoria Slejko
Lee Windsor Smith
Harold William Songin
*Phyllis Jacqueline Stoddard
Mary Alice String
Anne Frances Thornell
Ruth M. Trombley
Lucille Terease Welch
Evelyn Louise Willis
*Fred Woloshyn

* Member of Epsilon Pi Epsilon (Honorary)

CHARLES FALES FUND SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE . . .

The Charles Fales Fund Scholarship Committee presents herein its thirteenth annual report.

The following officers were elected at the December meeting: Mr. James Buffington, Chairman, Mr. James Riordan, Secretary.

The awarding of the Scholarships is based on the following excerpts from the will of Lewis F. Fales:

"In memory of my father, one hundred thousand dollars, to be known as the "Charles Fales Fund," to the Town of Walpole, Massachusetts, provided, unless a Board of Commissioners of Trust Funds is then existing in said Town, said Town shall have created a board of Commissioners of Trust Funds in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts within two years from the time said Town is notified by my said Trustees so to do. The income from said funds to be used for scholarships to be paid as hereinafter provided to students, male or female, of the

School of the Town who become students at any university, college or institute. Such scholarships are to be as nearly as practical each for the sum of five hundred dollars annually, and to be paid to each undergraduate in a university, college, or institute to whom it may be awarded by a Committee to be known as the "Charles Fales Fund Scholarship Committee," which Committee shall consist of the Superintendent of the Schools of Walpole for the time being, the Principal of the High School of Walpole for the time being, and if there be any time more than one High School in Walpole the Principals of each High School for the time being, and the members for the time being of the School Committee or other body having charge of the Schools of Walpole. The awards of Scholarships shall be for one year and shall be made during the month of December of each and every year. Said Scholarship Committee shall keep a record of its doings and make a report to the Town at the end of each year. It shall so far as practical keep in touch with the progress and standing of each student to whom an award of a scholarship has been made. It is not my desire to hamper in any way the Committee in making their award, but there are these factors which I desire they should take into consideration—Character, Scholarship, and Physical and Mental Vigor. I also desire that students wishing to extend their education along technical lines, shall, other things being equal be given preference."

The amount available for distribution this year was $3,217.94. In accordance with the provision of the will that scholarships are to be as nearly as practical each for the sum of five hundred dollars, seven scholarships were awarded.

The Committee, after a careful investigation of the candidates, awarded scholarships to the following:

William Murphy, Harvard University
Eleanor Campbell, Emmanuel College
Paul Leger, Brown University
Evelyn Small, Tufts College
Iris Cooper, Mass. State College
Helena Hazlett, Bridgewater Teachers College
Royal Jones, Tufts College

The Commitee has kept in touch with the progress and standing of each student to whom an award of a scholarship was made last year.

JAMES BUFFINGTON, JR., Chairman — WALTER BARNES
JAMES REARDON, Secretary — ERNEST COLEMAN
(Mrs.) MARY LOU WRIGHT — HAROLD A. STROUT
EDWARD HOLMES — ARTHUR C. JONES, Supt.

Charles Fales Scholarship Committee

TOWN ACCOUNTANT . . .

Report of the receipts and expenditures of the Town of Walpole for the year ending December 31, 1946, together with a statement of the Town's indebtedness.

RECEIPTS—GENERAL REVENUE

TAXES		
Current Year—		
Poll	$3,642.00	
Personal	50,377.38	
Real Estate	309,699.35	
Motor Excise	14,566.96	
		$378,285.69
Previous Years—		
Poll	$34.00	
Personal	1,045.60	
Real Estate	26,696.97	
Motor Excise	150.91	
		$27,927.48
From State—		
Income Tax	$77,860.50	
Corporation Tax	159,157.56	
Meal Tax—64B—O. A. A.	1,395.83	
Reimbursement—Loss of Taxes	295.13	
Highway Fund (Chap. 569)	13,994.53	
		$252,703.55
LICENSES AND PERMITS		
Amusement	$85.00	
Filling Stations	33.00	
Junk	50.00	
Liquor	8,921.00	
Peddlers	13.00	
Pool and Bowling	32.00	
Revolver	23.50	
Sale of firearms	9.60	
Sunday	26.00	
Theatre	10.00	
Used Car Dealers	105.00	
Victualler	62.00	
		$9,370.10
FINES AND FORFEITS		
Fines—		
Court		$145.00

GRANTS AND GIFTS			
From County—			
Dog Licenses (Year 1945)			$1,462.40
SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS			
Sewer Assessments—			
Sewers—Added to Taxes, 1944		$136.21	
Added to Taxes, 1945		805.03	
Added to Taxes, 1946		1,756.36	
Unapportioned Sewer Assessments		2,866.71	
Sewer Assessments Paid in Advance		784.65	
			$6,348.96
Total from General Revenue			$676,243.18
GENERAL GOVERNMENT			
Collector—			
Costs (Taxes)		$110.90	
Town Clerk—			
Dog Licenses	$1,867.00		
Marriage Licenses	242.00		
Gas Station Registrations	14.50		
Fees—Certified copies, births, marriages, deaths, etc.	96.50		
Fees — Recording mortgages, etc.	279.43		
		$2,499.43	
Selectmen—			
Rents—Blackburn Memorial Building	$135.00		
Rent—Court Room (1946)	1,500.00		
		$1,635.00	
Total from General Government			$4,245.33
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY			
Police Department—			
Reimbursements—Telephone Tolls		$176.20	
Fire Department—			
Reimbursements—Telephone Tolls		$75.30	

Inspection—			
Sealing Weights and Measures, fees	$98.69		
Inspector of Buildings, fees	616.00		
		$714.69	
Forest Fires—			
From State—Reimbursement—Firemens' Services		$101.40	
Total from Protection of Persons and Property			$1,067.59

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Health—			
From State-Public Subsidies	$508.57		
Reimbursements—Telephone Tolls	39.48		
Licenses Alcoholic	16.00		
Day Camp	.50		
Milk	25.50		
Non Alcoholic	10.00		
Pasteurization	50.00		
Poultry	1.00		
Oleo	1.50		
Slaughter licenses	2.00		
Undertakers	2.00		
Fees—Slaughter Inspections	1,096.00		
Dental Clinic receipts	17.50		
		$1,770.05	
Sanitation—			
Sewer Connection Deposits	$1,545.74		
Plumbing Permits	136.00		
		$1,681.74	
Total from Health and Sanitation			$3,451.79

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Public Works—			
Rents—Mass. Ave. Garage		$39.00	
Reimbursements—Telephone Tolls		24.13	
Sale of Materials, maps, etc.		13.14	
Reimbursements—Use of Machinery and Services of Men		84.56	
Reimbursements—Chap. 90 Road Maintenance		1,862.54	
Reimbursement—High Plain St. Improvement (Chap 90)		1,666.00	
Total from Highways and Bridges			$3,689.37

PUBLIC WELFARE AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN AND SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

Public Welfare—			
Reimbursements—Telephone Tolls	$112.27		
Rents—Town Property	451.00		
Individuals — Aid rendered	625.00		
Reimbursements—			
From State	783.00		
From Cities and Towns	10.00		
		$1,981.27	
Aid to Dependent Children—			
From State—			
Reimbursements	$855.01		
From State—			
U. S. Grants	$1,194.98		
		$2,049.99	
Soldiers' Benefits—			
From State—			
Veterans Aid and Pensions		$462.50	
Total from Public Welfare, Aid to Dependent Children and Soldiers' Benefits			$4,493.76

BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Old Age Assistance—			
From State—			
Reimbursements		$18,502.43	
From Other Cities and Towns—			
City of Boston	$94.33		
Town of Dedham	100.00		
Town of Hanover	81.49		
City of Haverhill	45.41		
City of Malden	120.00		
Town of Swampscott	23.43		
Town of Wareham	40.02		
City of Westfield	18.54		
		$523.22	
From State—			
U. S. Grants		$18,948.38	
Total from Old Age Assistance			$37,974.03

EDUCATION AND LIBRARY

SCHOOLS			
Tuition—			
From State		$547.89	
Town of Norfolk		5,517.17	
City of Boston		1,195.77	
			$7,260.83
All other—			
Manual Training, rentals, etc.			$483.70
			$7,744.53
PUBLIC LIBRARY			
Fines, sales, etc.			$532.58
Total from Education and Library			$8,277.11

RECREATION AND UNCLASSIFIED

PARKS			
Refund—Chlorine Tank			$20.00
UNCLASSIFIED			
Sale of Town Property		$100.00	
Tailings—Unclaimed checks		15.86	
			$115.86
Total from Recreation and Unclassified			$135.86

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISE

WATER DEPARTMENT			
Sale of Water		$54,622.37	
Service Work		2,706.08	
			$57,328.45
Costs—Summons on Bills		$42.00	
Reimbursements—Telephone Tolls		17.40	
Damage to Hydrant		7.30	
			$66.70
Total from Public Service Enterprise			$57,395.15

INTEREST

INTEREST			
On Deferred Taxes	$710.66		
Committed Interest—Sewer Assessments	552.91		
Accrued Interest — Sale of Notes	10.96		
		$1,274.53	
Trust Fund Income—			
Charles Fales Trust Fund	$3,386.03		
Walpole Emergency Medical Aid Fund	317.35		
Charles Sumner Bird Library Fund	150.00		
F. E. Clapp Memorial Fund	5.50		
		$3,858.88	
Total from Interest			$5,133.41

TRUST FUNDS

TRUST FUND—			
Bequest—Walpole Emergency Medical Aid Fund			$4,800.00

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

SALE OF NOTES—			
School & Maple Sewer Street Sewer Loan		$7,000.00	
Hanson Ave. & Wedgemere Court Sewer Loan		6,100.00	
Premium—Sale of Town Notes		32.75	
Total from Municipal Indebtedness			$13,132.75

TAX TITLES REDEEMED AND SALE OF TAX POSSESSIONS

TAX TITLES REDEEMED—			
Taxes	$430.81		
Interest	41.64		
Costs	5.00		
		$477.45	
SALE OF TAX POSSESSIONS		$1,225.00	
Total from Tax Titles and Sales of Tax Possessions			$1,702.45

REFUNDS AND TRANSFERS

GENERAL DEPARTMENTS—		
Purchase of Surplus Federal Property	$191.32	
Police	24.75	
Dental Clinic	15.35	
Highways	6.17	
Welfare	98.08	
O.A.A. & O.A.A.U.S. Grants	199.08	
State Aid	10.00	
Schools	1.75	
Insurance	52.41	
Water Department	121.76	
Youth Organization	29.29	
Total from Refunds and Transfers		$749.96

AGENCY AND TRUST

AGENCY		
Treasurer—		
Federal Withholding Taxes	$35,881.67	
Retirement Withholding Taxes	7,647.76	
Total from Agency and Trust		$43,529.43
TOTAL RECEIPTS		$866,021.17
CASH BALANCE, January 1, 1946		$390,898.20
		$1,256,919.37

EXPENDITURES—GENERAL GOVERNMENT

LEGISLATION		
Appropriation Committee—		
Printing Reports	$455.00	
Postage	119.11	
Budget Forms	20.00	
Advertising	6.00	
State Finance Assn. Meeting	12.95	
Dues—Assn. Town Finance Committees	10.00	
Mimeograph Sheets	6.30	
Expenses—Assn. Town Finance Committees	22.50	
Rubber Stamps	3.10	
		$654.96

Town Planning Board—			
Salary of Clerk	$100.00		
Dues — Mass. Federation of Planning Boards	10.00		
Dues — Amer. Soc. of Planning Boards	10.00		
Advertising	6.00		
All other	6.00		
		$132.00	
Trust Fund Commissioners—			
Rental—Safety Deposit Box		$12.00	
			$798.96

SELECTMEN

Salaries—			
Chairman	$300.00		
Clerk	275.00		
Other Members (3)	750.00		
		$1,325.00	
Expenses—			
Printing and advertising	$1,677.75		
Stationery and Postage	108.86		
Office Supplies	81.85		
Service—Testimonial	25.00		
Reservations	15.00		
Maintenance — Adding Machine and Typewriter	16.00		
Recordings	18.95		
Repairs (Mimeograph)	6.42		
Dues—Norfolk County Selectmen Assn.	21.00		
		$1,970.83	
			$3,295.83

ACCOUNTANT

Salaries—			
Accountant	$2,600.00		
Clerk	876.00		
		$3,476.00	
Expenses—			
Printing and advertising	$22.50		
Classification Sheets	110.00		
Office Supplies	32.85		
Telephone	18.80		
Maintenance — Adding Machine and Typewriter	17.25		
Bindings	33.75		

Dues — Municipal Finance Officers Association	10.00		
		$245.15	
			$3,721.15
ACCOUNTANT—UNPAID BILLS OF 1945			
Ledger Sheets			$7.93
TREASURER			
Salaries—			
Treasurer	$2,860.00		
Clerk	692.00		
		$3,552.00	
Expenses—			
Premium—Surety Bond	$250.00		
Stationery and Postage	147.93		
Office Supplies	132.04		
Telephone	47.45		
Maintenance Adding Machine and Typewriter	12.00		
Rental—Safety Deposit Box	6.00		
Repairs (Check Writer)	14.65		
Fees—Certification of Notes	26.00		
Dues—Coll. & Treas. Assn.	1.00		
Express	.35		
		$637.42	
			$4,189.42
TREASURER—TAX TITLE EXPENSES			
Binder			$8.18
COLLECTOR			
Salaries—			
Collector	$2,560.00		
Clerk	1,394.00		
		$3,954.00	
Expenses—			
Premium—Surety Bond	$357.50		
Extra Clerical Service	165.00		
Stationery and Postage	331.64		
Printing and Advertising	221.25		
Telephone	57.65		
Office Supplies	157.73		
Subscription	12.00		
Maintenance — Adding Machine and Typewriter	19.00		
Recordings	10.12		
Dues—Coll. & Treas. Assn.	1.00		
Express	.85		
		$1,333.74	
			$5,287.74

ASSESSORS

Salaries—

Chairman	$1,680.00	
Other Assessors	1,584.00	
Clerk	2,210.00	
		$5,474.00

Expenses—

Deeds, Probates and Abstracts	$152.34	
Stationery and Postage	7.32	
Travel Expense	327.50	
Telephone	51.84	
Office Supplies	346.06	
Service — Card Indexes and Plans	273.90	
Maintenance — Adding Machine and Typewriter	76.00	
Pictures	17.50	
Dues—Assn. of Mass. Assessors	6.00	
Expenses — Assn. of Assessors Meeting	12.00	
All Other	6.00	
		$1,276 46
		$6,750 46

ASSESSORS—UNPAID BILLS OF 1945

Auto Hire	$9.00	
Forms	12.75	
Preparing Probates	17.50	
Tax Cards	54.00	
Printing Tax Forms	225.00	
		$318.25

TOWN CLERK

Salaries—

Town Clerk	$560.00	
Assistant Clerk	444.00	
		$1,004 00

Expenses—

Premium on Bond	$7.50		
Printing, stationery and Postage	36.51		
Advertising—			
Adjourned Town Meetings	34.00		
Office Supplies	39.00		
Telephone	23.45		
Maintenance of typewriter	8.75		
Bindings	27.70		
Fee—Certified copy of record	.50		
Dues — Mass. Town Clerks' Assn.	3.00		
Express	2.07		
		$182.48	
			$1,186.48

TOWN CLERK

Dog Licenses to County Treasurer		$1,838.20

TOWN CLERK—UNPAID BILLS OF 1945

Office Supplies		$1.50

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Salaries—			
Registrars of Voters (3)	$198.00		
Election Officers	1,119.72		
		$1,317.72	
Expenses—			
Printing Ballots	$86.50		
Printing Voting Lists	150.00		
Registration Posters	63.00		
Other Printing	34.51		
Votometer (Prec. 2)	10.64		
Office supplies	3.49		
Telephone (State Election) Prec. 1	6.55		
Servicing and Storage Fire Trucks Prec. 2 (E. W.)	73.50		
Rent — Community House (Prec. 3)	30.00		
Setting up Booths (Prec. 3)	7.50		
		$465.69	
			$1,783.41

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION (Street Lists)

(Chap. 440, Acts of 1938)

Services—			
Canvassers	$574.25		
Expenses—			
Listing Cards	$42.01		
Master Sheets	9.72		
Printing Street Lists	250.00		
Travel expense	18.00		
		$319.73	
			$893.98

LAW

Salaries—			
Town Counsel		$1,980.00	
Expenses—			
Recordings	$19.22		
Office Supplies	30.20		
Settlement of claim	5.65		
Town counsel—expenses	11.98		
		$67.05	
			$2,047.05

TOWN HALL AND BLACKBURN MEMORIAL BUILDING

Salary—			
Janitor		$1,568.00	
Expenses—			
Lights (Town Hall)	$757.00		
Lights (Memorial Building)	178.09		
Water Rates	24.00		
Lettering signs	12.00		
Repairing clocks	20.95		
Extermination (Roach Control)	36.18		
	36.18		
Janitor's supplies	106.88		
		$1,135.10	
			$2,703.10
Total for General Government			$34,831.64

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Salaries and Services—			
Chief (Salary and Insurance)	$3,600.00		
Sergeants (2) Salaries and Insurance	5,800.00		
Patrolmen (Salaries and Insurance	23,570.60		
Special Officers	302.42		
School Traffic Officers	541.50		
		$33,814.52	
Motor Service & Equipment—			
Maintenance of cars	$706.16		
Gasoline and oil	662.81		
		$1,368.97	
Expenses—			
Uniforms, Badges, etc.	$560.84		
Belts and Holsters	22.50		
Laundry and Cleansers	208.95		
Flashlights	9.04		
Office supplies and expenses	95.73		
Telephones	701.72		
Radio repairs	123.45		
Travel expenses	32.00		
Medical Services	9.00		
Ambulance service	72.00		
Court expense (Summons)	2.00		
Maintenance of typewriter	13.20		
Removal of animals	94.00		
Lockup expenses	80.97		
Express	.86		
		$2,026.26	
			$37,209.75

POLICE

Expenses—Officer to F. B. I. National Academy, Washington, D. C.			$800.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Salaries and Services—			
Chief—Salary and Insurance dues	$3,117.60		
Firemen and Clerks	4,192.60		
Janitors and Stewards	320.00		
Firemens' Services	1,505.40		
		$9,135.60	

Maintenance of Equipment—			
Equipment and Repairs		$879.15	
Buildings—			
Lights	$105.93		
Water Rates	36.00		
Janitors' supplies	28.29		
		$170.22	
Expenses—			
Office expense	$38.29		
Telephones	218.69		
Expenses—Fire Chiefs Club	3.15		
Equipment for Men	23.67		
Travel	72.30		
Lunches	26.00		
Gasoline and oil	107.98		
Equipment and Repairs	385.21		
Plants	20.00		
Freight and express	3.24		
		$898.53	
			$11,083.50
FIRE—NEW EQUIPMENT			
2 Fog Nozzles			$114.20
FIRE—UNPAID BILLS OF 1945			
Tires			$36.45
FIRE ALARM			
Service Repairs		$559.93	
Electric Power		164.21	
			$724.14
INSPECTION			
Inspection of Buildings—			
Salary—Inspector	$990.00		
Expenses—Inspector	240.00		
		$1,230.00	
Services—Deputy Inspector	$10.00		
a/c Printing Building Laws	100.00		
Letter file	1.70		
		$111.70	
			$1,341.70
Sealer Weights and Measures—			
Salary—Sealer	$1,188.00		
Travel expense	68.50		
Supplies	11.45		
			$1,267.95

INSECT PEST EXTERMINATION

Labor		$1,092.67	
Gasoline		28.50	
Insecticides and spraying		1,776.73	
Advertising		2.10	
			$2,900.00

TREE DEPARTMENT

Labor		$1,304.50	
Special Service (Storm Damage)		1,000.00	
Trees		247.00	
Printing cards		6.50	
Dues—Mass. Tree Wardens' Assn.		2.00	
			$2,560.00

FOREST FIRES

Salaries and Services—			
Deputy Wardens (Salaries)	$90.00		
Firemen's Services	1,563.70		
		$1,653.70	
Expenses—			
Maintenance of equipment	$364.96		
Equipment and repairs	55.51		
Gasoline and oil	89.43		
Dues—Norfolk and Bristol F. F. Assn.	5.00		
		$514.90	
			$2,168.60

FOREST FIRES

New Forest Fire Truck		$4,800.00

FOREST FIRES

600′ Forest Fire Hose		$245.15

FOREST FIRES (Unpaid Bills of 1945)

Firemens' Services		$233.65	
Maintenance of Equipment		148.93	
			$382.58

Total for Protection of Persons and Property	$65,634.02

HEALTH OFFICER			
Salary		$660.00	
HEALTH DEPARTMENT			
Administration—			
Office expenses	$121.92		
Telephone	66.76		
Medical	2.00		
Services of Nurse	4.25		
Express	.35		
Removal of rubbish	48.00		
		$243.28	
Quarantine and Contagious Diseases—			
Board and Treatment		$173.88	
Tuberculosis—			
Norfolk County Hospital		$547.50	
Inspections—			
Inspectors of Plumbing	$351.00		
Inspector of Animals	264.00		
Inspector of Meats	1,164.50		
Inspector of Milk, Salary	528.00		
Inspector of Milk, travel	58.52		
		$2,366.02	
			$3,990.68
VISITING NURSES			
Salaries of Nurses			$2,400.00
DENTAL HYGIENIST			
Salary			$2,160.00
DENTAL CLINIC			
Services of Dentists	$675.00		
Other Services	185.00		
		$860.00	
Equipment and repairs	$113.99		
Laundry	8.75		
Postage	1.50		
Express	.57		
		$124.81	
			$984.81
NORFOLK COUNTY HOSPITAL			
Maintenance—Apportionment for 1946			$5,164.11

SANITATION		
Garbage Disposal (Contract)		$3,800.00
SEWER CONNECTION DEPOSITS		
Refunds on Deposits		$399.86
SEWER MAINTENANCE AND CONNECTIONS		
Labor	$1,121.92	
Equipment and repairs	1,079.48	
Gasoline and Oil	30.50	
Advertising for bids	6.00	
Tracings	4.12	
Express	7.11	
		$2,249.93
SEWER EXTENSIONS		
Ellis Street Extension—		
Contractor	$1,800.00	
Equipment and repairs	700.00	
		$2,500.00
Fuller Avenue Extension—		
Contractor	$1,659.11	
Labor	8.00	
Equipment and repairs	326.06	
		$1,993.17
Grover Street Extension (Completion)		
Labor	$119.15	
Equipment and repairs	95.40	
		$214.55
Hanson Ave. & Wedgemere Ct. Extension—		
Contractor (Part Payment)	$4,202.42	
Advertising for bids	2.10	
		$4,204.52
School and Maple Street Sewer Extension—		
Contractor (Part Payment)		$13,312.30
Total for Health and Sanitation		$43,373.93

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES — PUBLIC WORKS

PUBLIC WORKS		
Administration—		
Salaries —		
Town Engineer	$4,560.00	
Clerk (Public Works & Health)	2,380.00	

Clerk (Selectmen & Welfare)	2,380.00		
Junior Clerk	1,924.80		
		$11,244.80	
Expenses—			
Premium on Bond (Town Engineer)	$25.00		
Printing, postage & supplies	392.81		
Telephone	353.85		
Towel service	19.20		
		$790.86	
			$12,035.66
ENGINEERING			
Salary		$2,536.00	
Equipment		100.00	
			$2,636.00
ENGINEERING—MARSTON ROAD, CHARLOTTE ROAD AND CALVERT ROAD			
Professional Engineering Services			$1,000.00
HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE			
Labor		$31,366.64	
Expenses—			
Equipment and Repairs	$2,094.74		
Road Material	11,261.00		
Miscellaneous expenses	7,163.11		
		$20,518.85	
			$51,885.49
CARE OF BEACONS			
Electric Service		$67.09	
Equipment and Repairs		90.00	
			$157.09
TRAFFIC EQUIPMENT AND REPAIRS			
Electric Service		$216.62	
Equipment and Repairs		330.56	
1—"Stop Sign"		16.00	
Express		4.10	
			$567.28
BRIDGES AND CULVERTS			
Labor			$500.00

MAINTENANCE OF CHAPTER 90 ROADS		
Labor	$1,148.62	
Use of Shovel	108.00	
Asphalt, concrete and sand	1,456.23	
Pipe	8.10	
		$2,720.95
SIDEWALK REPAIRS		
Equipment and Repairs		$2,000.00
CHARLES STREET SIDEWALK		
Labor	$482.00	
Trucks	188.50	
Equipment	229.50	
		$900.00
NEW EQUIPMENT		
New Model S. U.-F. W. D. Truck	$8,829.80	
Chevrolet Truck	1,770.23	
New Ford Dump Truck	1,868.09	
New Snow Loader	1,822.93	
New Steam Roller	6,482.00	
		$20,773.05
LAND DAMAGES		
South Street (Decree 5-16-1941)	$33.04	
East Street (1946 Decree)	11.70	
		$44.74
SNOW REMOVAL		
Labor	$3,496.82	
Trucks	2,109.63	
Gasoline and oil	137.17	
Equipment and repairs	2,311.73	
Sand	1,445.07	
Calcium chloride, alcohol, etc.	282.35	
Weather Service (Reports)	63.00	
Lunches	115.45	
		$9,961.22
SNOW REMOVAL (Unpaid Bills of 1945)		
Gasoline		$93.89

REPAIRS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS		
Bird School	$3,978.45	
Boyden School	2,554.53	
Fisher School	2,295.32	
High School	947.73	
Plimpton School	2,268.42	
Stone School	654.37	
Public Library (Center)	489.50	
Public Library (East Walpole)	13.17	
Town Hall	885.62	
Blackburn Memorial Building	361.88	
Center Fire Station	368.55	
East Fire Station	12.77	
South Fire Station	516.20	
General Repairs (All Buildings)	12,474.24	
		$27,820.85
FUEL FOR PUBLIC BUILDINGS		
Schools	$8,698.32	
Public Library	539.98	
3 Fire Stations	710.55	
Town Hall and Blackburn Memorial Building	1,490.66	
Town Garage	120.48	
		$11,559.99
MAINTENANCE OF TOWN DUMP		
Labor		$1,737.60
HIGH PLAIN STREET IMPROVEMENT (Chapter 90)		
Advertising for bids	$7.00	
Publication for Contractors	6.80	
Contractor	3,332.00	
		$3,345.80
MORSE STREET IMPROVEMENT		
Use of Shovel	$390.00	
Road Oil	27.80	
Gravel	82.20	
		$500.00
OLD POST ROAD IMPROVEMENT		
Use of Shovel	$100.50	
Road Tar	339 39	
		$439 89

SUMMER STREET CONSTRUCTION		
Labor	$136.00	
Use of Shovel and Trucks	5,058.00	
Tar	354.56	
Equipment and repairs	7,239.94	
Blasting	601.50	
Gasoline and oil	86.00	
Charge—Moving Shovel	24.00	
		$13,500.00
STREET LIGHTING		
Electricity — 11 months (1946)		$14,104.75
STREET LIGHTING		
Electricity — December 1945		$1,289.14
Total for Highways and Bridges (Public Works)		$179,573.39

PUBLIC WELFARE AND SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE		
Administration—		
Salaries	$1,023.00	
Telephones	233.82	
Maintenance of typewriter	3.50	
Office expenses	210.13	
Travel expenses	125.00	
Dues (Mass. Relief Officers Assn.)	8.00	
		$1,603.45
Outside Relief by Town—		
Cash	$3,914.75	
Rents	299.00	
Groceries	45.00	
Medical Service	1,167.36	
Ambulance	71.00	
Board and care	948.86	
Insurance	52.00	
Water Rates	80.58	
Equipment and repairs (Town Property)	25.12	
		$6,603.67
State Institutions—		
State Hospital—Tewksbury	1,375.50	
Pondville State Hospital	62.50	
Lakeville State Sanatorium	105.00	
Com. of Mass.—Division of Child Guardianship	730.00	
		$2,273.00

Other Institutions—		
Barbara Douthetts' Rest Home	$217.50	
Home of the Holy Guild	140.00	
Norwood Hospital	1,080.92	
Massachusetts General Hospital	13.00	
		$1,451.42
Relief by Other Cities and Towns—		
City of Boston	84.00	
Town of Dedham	2,496.24	
Town of North Attleborough	727.68	
Town of Norwood	105.00	
		$3,412.92
Total for Public Welfare		$15,344.46

SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

Soldiers' Relief—		
Medical Attendance	$281.57	
Special Services	61.80	
Cash	1,292.75	
Supplies	10.00	
		1,646.12
State Aid—		
Cash		$40.00
Military Aid—		
Cash		$1,020.00
Total for Soldiers' Benefits		2,706.12

SOLDIERS' BENEFITS (Unpaid Bills of 1945)

Soldiers' Relief—	
Cash	$20.00
State Aid—	
Cash	10.00
Military Aid—	
Cash	70.00
Total for Soldiers' Benefits (Unpaid Bills of 1945)	$100.00

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN (Mother's Aid)

Administration—			
Salaries—Board	$247.50		
Investigator	49.50		
		$297.00	
Travel Expense		35.00	
Assistance—			
Cash		4,146.97	
			$4,478.97

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN (U. S. Grants)

Administration—		
Salary—Investigator	$51.84	
Assistance—		
Cash	$442.95	
	$494.79	
Total for Aid to Dependent Children		$4,973.76

BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Administration—		
Investigator—Salary	$1,199.96	
Bureau—Salaries	462.00	
Travel Expense	100.00	
Telephone	55.26	
		$1,817.22
Relief by Town—		
Cash	$23,471.08	
Board and Care	193.26	
Medical Service	83.00	
Ambulance	24.00	
Burial Expenses	583.75	
		$24,355.09
Relief by Other Cities and Towns—		
City of Boston	$103.06	
City of Lowell	396.00	
City of Waltham	88.07	
Town of Franklin	78.66	
Town of Hopkinton	21.78	
Town of Medfield	25.19	
Town of Norwood	128.30	
		$841.06
		$27,013.37

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE (U. S Grants)

Administration—		
Investigator—Salary	$360.00	
Bureau—Salaries	396.00	
Travel Expense	18.00	
Expenses (Relief Officers' Assn.)	6.00	
Dues (Mass. Conference Social Workers)	2.00	
		$782.00

Assistance—		
Cash	$20,720.90	
		$21,502.90
Total for Bureau of Old Age Assistance		$48,516.27

EDUCATION AND LIBRARY

SCHOOLS

Administration—		
Salaries—		
Superintendent	$4,860.00	
Clerk	2,112.00	
Clerk (H. S. Principal)	1,804.00	
		$8,776.00
Other Expenses—		
Telephone	382.28	
Office	446.30	
Travel	453.03	
Truant Officer	1.00	
		$1,282.61
		$10,058.61
School Physicians		$1,378.99
Teachers' Salaries—		
High, Junior High, Elementary and Substitutes	$166,104.79	
Music Supervisor	2,770.50	
		$168,875.29
School Nurse		$2,359.92
Text Book and Supplies		$13,872.19
Tuition		$2,003.55
Janitor Service—		
High and Elementary		$18,608.48
Transportation—		
Connolly Buses	17,780.00	
Other Autos and Tickets	258.90	
Students' Activities	885.00	
Transfer of Pupils (Boyden to Plimpton School)	58.80	
		$18,982.70

Buildings—		
Janitors' Supplies	$1,151.34	
Electricity	4,360.98	
Gas	150.27	
Repairs	2,309.42	
Water	282.64	
All other	70.75	
		$8,325.40
Other Expense—		
Diplomas and Graduation Exercises		$172.88
Total for Education		$244,638.01

PUBLIC LIBRARY

LIBRARY		
Salaries and Services—		
Librarian	$2,160.00	
Assistants	6,381.25	
Janitor	1,362.00	
		$9,903.25
Books, Periodicals and Bindings		$2,674.19
Administration—		
Office	$706.77	
Telephone	83.24	
All Other	37.63	
		$827.64
Building—		
Electricity	$444.13	
Water	24.00	
Janitors' supplies	46.86	
All other	2.18	
		$517.17
		$13,922.25
LIBRARY (Unpaid Bills of 1945)		
Books and Supplies		43.00
Total for Public Library		$13,965.25

RECREATION AND UNCLASSIFIED

PARKS AND SCHOOL GROUNDS		
Maintenance—		
Labor	$11,574.05	
Expenses—		
Printing	$2.40	
Express	1.81	
Registration	2.00	

Trees and shrubs	203.00		
Gasoline and oil	208.35		
Loam and fertilizer	3,895.65		
Equipment and repairs	6,230.17		
Lights	54.77		
Water (swimming pool)	200.86		
		$10,799.01	
			$22,373.06
SWIMMING POOL (Memorial Park)			
Directors' Salaries		$560.00	
Equipment		7.09	
			$567.09
TOWN FOREST			
Labor			$250.00
INSURANCE			
Town Schedule			$6,361.63
STORM DAMAGE			
Labor		$885.45	
Equipment		6.75	
Lunches		7.80	
			$900.00
TOWN CLOCK			
Lights			$35.58
BAND CONCERTS			
Season of 1946			$300.00
MEMORIAL DAY			
Plants and Flowers		$156.00	
Music		100.00	
Supplies		34.57	
			$290.57
POST WAR REHABILITATION			
Administration			$61.24
YOUTH ORGANIZATION			
Salary			$29.29
LIABILITY INSURANCE			
Workmen's Compensation (Town Employees)			$2,845.00
TOWN REPORT			
Advertising for bids		$1.20	
Printing and binding report		1,000.00	
			$1,001.20

HONOR ROLL BOARD		
Lettering Board	$30.00	
Equipment	45.00	
		$75.00
VETERANS' REHABILITATION OFFICER		
Salary	$1,750.00	
Travel expense	3.40	
Printing, stationery and postage	115.70	
Telephone	6.85	
		$1,906.95
RECREATION COMMISSION		
Office supplies	$36.00	
Lectures	45.00	
Band	78.00	
Travel expenses	49.50	
		$208.50
PURCHASE OF SUPPLIES—FEDERAL PROPERTY		
Equipment		$511.86
SURVEY OF PAY STRUCTURES AND SALARIES (Municipal Employees)		
Equipment	$46.70	
Services	157.50	
Travel	6.07	
		$210.27
UNCLASSIFIED		
Lease-Land for Dump (So. Walpole)		$1.00
Total for Recreation and Unclassified		$37,928.24

CEMETERIES AND CARE OF SOLDIERS' GRAVES

TOWN CEMETERY (Kendall and Main Streets)		
Labor		$125.00
CARE OF SOLDIERS' GRAVES		
St. Francis Cemetery	$60.00	
Rural Cemetery	52.50	
Maple Grove Cemetery	40.00	
Terrace Hill Cemetery	105.00	
East Walpole Cemetery	17.50	
		$275.00
Total for Care of Cemeteries and Soldiers' Graves		$400.00

DISBURSEMENT OF TRUST FUND INCOME

Charles Fales Scholarship Fund—		
7 Scholarships awarded		$3,386 03
Charles Sumner Bird Library Fund—		
Services	$14 00	
Materials	14 85	
		$28 85
Walpole Emergency Medical Aid Fund—		
Walpole Visiting Nurse Ass'n, cash		$554 80
F. E. Clapp Memorial Fund—		
Books		$5 50
Library Trust Funds—		
Services		$11 50
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds—		
Services		$27 88
Total for Disbursement of Trust Fund Income		$4,014 56

INTEREST AND DEBT

INTEREST		
General Loans—		
P. W. A. Street and Bridge	$112 50	
Sewer Loan	2,800 00	
		$2,912 50
Water Loan—		
Water Loan (1918)		$562 50
Total for Interest		$3,475 00

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

GENERAL LOANS		
P. W. A. Street and Bridge Loan	$3,000 00	
Sewer Loan	5,000 00	
		$8,000 00
WATER LOANS		
Water Loan (1918)		$5,000 00
Total for Municipal Indebtedness		$13,000 00

TRUST FUNDS

Payment of Bequest—	
Walpole Emergency Medical Aid Fund	$4,800 00

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISE

WATER DEPARTMENT

Pumping Station—		
Engineer at Station, Salary	$2,452.64	
Electric Power (P. Station)	8,827.10	
Electric Power (West Walpole)	22.56	
Electric Power (High Plain St.)	248.16	
Electric Power (South Walpole)	21.18	
Fuel Oil	455.70	
Maintenance of Standpipes	7,332.26	
Lights	72.00	
All other	21.45	
		$19,453.05
Service Department—		
Labor	$11,463.95	
Pipe and Fittings	3,634.23	
Meters and Fittings	568.80	
Meter Repairs	458.39	
Equipment and Repairs	1,363.70	
Paint for Hydrants	121.20	
New Pump	118.61	
Repairs on Pumps and Buildings	1,418.91	
Repairs on Truck	124.51	
Truck Registration	2.00	
Gasoline and Oil	479.56	
Freight and Express	68.37	
Pipe Under Railroad (Rental)	1.00	
		$19,823.23
Total for Water Department (excluding Interest and Debt)		$39,276.28

WATER DEPARTMENT EXTENSIONS

Kendall Street—		
Equipment and Repairs	$534.15	
Trenching Machine (Rental)	60.00	
		$594.15
May Street (Replacing Main)—		
Equipment	95.79	
Trenching Machine (Rental)	150.00	
		$245.79
Morse Street—		
Labor	$50.45	
Use of Shovel	315.00	
Equipment and Repairs	634.55	
		$1,000.00

Stone Street—		
Contractor	$1,875 00	
Labor	288 51	
Equipment	5,636 49	
		$7,800 00
Total for Water Extensions		$9,639 94
WATER DEPARTMENT (Unpaid Bills of 1945)		
Standpipe Repairs	$785 00	
Gasoline	17 18	
Equipment and Repairs	2 45	
Electric Power	10 05	
		$814 68

WATER—FRANCIS WILLIAM PARK

EXCESS WATER (Appropriation by Town)	$900 42

AGENCY AND TRUST

State Tax	$14,050 00	
County Tax	20,373 70	
State Parks and Reservations Tax	760 55	
Metropolitan Sewerage Loan Tax	9,437 62	
Municipal Auditing Tax	678 73	
Norfolk County Retirement Apportionment	1,513 88	
Treasurer—Federal Withholding Taxes	37,660 27	
Treasurer—Retirement Withholding Taxes	7,511 00	
Total for Agency and Trust		$91,985 75

REFUNDS AND TRANSFERS

Cash Abatements—		
1945 Poll Taxes	$2 00	
1945 R. E. Taxes	25 60	
1945 Motor Excise Taxes	1 34	
Overlays (1945 R. E. Taxes)	128 00	
1946 Motor Excise Taxes	112 91	
1946 Poll Taxes	6 00	
1946 P. P. Taxes	1 82	
1946 R. E. Taxes	59 08	
Total for Refunds and Transfers		$336 75
Total Expenditures		$860,228 47
Cash Balance December 31, 1946		$396,690 90
		$1,256,919 37

TOWN OF WALPOLE

TRIAL BALANCE

December 31, 1946

	Dr.	Cr.
REVENUE CASH	$396,690 90	
Coll. P. P. Taxes, 1946	588 14	
Coll. R. E. Taxes, 1946	20,462 10	
Coll. Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes, 1946	607 37	
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes Revenue		$607 37
Coll. Unappor. Sewer Assessments	3,089 10	
Coll. Appor. Sewer Assessments, 1946	347 06	
Coll. Committed Sewer Interest, 1946	73 34	
Special Assessment Revenue		3,509 50
Sewer Assessment Fund		12,668 12
Sewer Connection Deposits		60 00
Overlays, 1946		5,686 43
Overlay Reserve Fund		26,801 90
Tax Titles Held by Town	3,884 99	
Tax Titles Revenue		3,884 99
Tax Titles Possessions	4,349 21	
Tax Titles Possessions Revenue		4,349 21
Collector of Water Rates	302 08	
Collector of Water Services	339 76	
Water Revenue		641 84
Telephone Tolls Receivable	111 27	
Sewer Conn. Accts. Receivable	47 26	
Welfare Bills Receivable	52 00	
State and Military Aid Accts. Receivable	565 00	
Aid to Dependent Children Acct. Rec.	552 56	
School Bills Receivable	3,782 71	
Departmental Revenue		5,110 80
State Aid to Highways Accts. Rec.	4,507 75	
County Aid to Highways Accts. Rec.	873 75	
State and County Aid to Highways Revenue		5,381 50
Tailings		57 21
Sale of Town Property		1,512 50
EXCESS AND DEFICIENCY		244,292 17
GENERAL GOVERNMENT		
Accountant—Expenses (1946)		30 00
Treas.—Withholding Taxes		9,378 23
Treas.—Retirement Withholding Taxes		811 61
Dog Licenses Due County		30 60
Collector—Petty Cash	100 00	

	Dr.	Cr
PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY		
Fire—Firemen's Services		492 70
Forest Fires—Firemen's Services		83 20
Committee on New Fire Station		750 00
HEALTH AND SANITATION		
School and Maple Sts. Sewer Extension		2,633 10
Hanson Ave. & Wedgemere Ct. Sewer Ext.		1,895 48
Engineering—Const. of Sewers (E. W.)		2,500 00
HIGHWAYS & BRIDGES (Public Works)		
Snow Removal, 1946		212 33
New Highway Equipment		13,431 88
High Plain St. Improvement (1946)		3,620 20
Neponset St. Improvement (1946)		1,000 00
Rebuilding Occident Circle (1946)		600 00
Diamond St. Improvement (1941)		1,484 60
Land Damages, New Way, So. W.		1 00
" " East St.		31 63
" " Coney St.		1 00
" " Diamond St.		248 00
" " Gill St.		24 18
" " High Plain St.		6 00
" " High St.		122 07
" " Lincoln Road		97 00
" " Neponset St.		4 87
" " Norfolk St.		6 00
" " North St.		519 00
" " Old Post Road		4 00
" " South St.		16 47
" " Spring St.		5 14
" " Summer St.		92 00
" " Winter St.		4 50
" " East St. (1946)		517 38
Street Lighting (1946)		1,345 13
AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN		
A. D. C.—U S. Grants—Adms.		585 99
A. D. C.—U. S. Grants—Asst.		593 97
BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE		
O. A. A.—U. S Grants—Adms.		403 22
O. A. A.—U S. Grants—Asst.		3,088 52
EDUCATION AND LIBRARY		
Smith-Hughes Fund		22 52

	Dr.	Cr
RECREATION AND UNCLASSIFIED		
Markers—Rev. & Civil War Veterans' Graves		55 50
Recreation Commission		541 50
Plans and Specifications for Memorial Park		2,000 00
Boyden School Swimming Pool & Bathhouses		11,500 00
Survey of Pay Structures and Salaries—Municipal Employees		989 73
Stone St. School Committee—Expenses		1,000 00
Committee—Revision of Zoning Laws		550 00
Engineering—West Walpole Town Owned Land		4,000 00
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISE		
Water Available Surplus (Prev. Years)		58,825 84
Engineering Study Water System (E. W.)		2,500 00
INTEREST AND DEBT		
Premium on Sewer Loans		32 75
Accrued Interest on Sewer Loans		6 65
Income—Charles Sumner Bird Library Fund		150 03
Income—Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds		8 74
Income—Library Trust Funds		5 72
Income—Lewis Fountain Fund		1 95
AGENCY AND TRUST		
State Parks & Reservations Tax (1946)	285 21	
Met. Sewerage South System Tax (1946)	1,295 50	
County Tax (1946)	518 41	
NET BONDED DEBT	104,100 00	
Sewer Loan (1931)		75,000 00
School & Maple Sts. Sewer Ext. Loan (1946)		7,000 00
Hanson Ave. & Wedgemere Ct. Sewer Loan (1946)		6,100 00
P. W. A. Street & Bridge Loan (1938)		6,000 00
Water Loan (1918)		10,000 00
DEFERRED SEWER ASSESSMENTS NOT DUE	4,858 06	
Appor. Sewer Assessments, Due 1947		1,645 19
" " " Due 1948		1,475 68
" " " Due 1949		962 34
" " " Due 1950		493 76
" " " Due 1951		204 64
" " " Due 1952		25 49
" " " Due 1953		25 49
" " " Due 1954		25 47

	Dr.	Cr
DEFERRED SEWER ASSESSMENT REVENUE	568 67	
Suspended Sewer Assessments		568 67
TRUST FUND (Cash and Securities)	201,683 32	
Charles Fales Scholarship Fund		98,528 29
Walpole Emergency Medical Aid Fund		53,025 24
Charles Sumner Bird Library Fund		16,986 59
Bird Scholarship Fund		35 03
Lucy J. Gould Library Fund		548 21
Mary W. Hyde Library Fund		669 36
Public Library Funds		2,972 73
Lewis Drinking Fountain Fund		605 49
F. E. Clapp Memorial Fund		692 37
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds		2,076 59
Michael J. Medvaskas Private Fund		605 42
War Savings Bonds Investment Fund		24,938 06
	$754,635 52	$754,635 52

TOWN OF WALPOLE BALANCE SHEET — December 31, 1946

General Accounts

Assets

Cash:		
General	$396,690 90	
Petty Advance—Collector	100.00	
		$396,790 90
Accounts Receivable:		
Taxes:		
Levy of 1946:		
Personal	$588.14	
Real Estate	20,462.10	
		$21,050.24
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:		
Levy of 1946		$607.37
Special Assessments:		
Unapportioned Sewer	$3,089.10	
Sewer 1946	347.06	
Committed Interest 1946	73.34	
		3,509.50
Tax Titles		3,884.99
Tax Possessions		4,349.21

Liabilities and Reserves

Federal Withholding Taxes		$9,378.23
Due County:		
Retirement Fund Deductions	$811.61	
Proceeds of Dog Licenses	30.60	
		842.21
Tailings—Unclaimed checks		57.21
Sale of Real Estate		$1,512.50
Trust Funds Income:		
Charles Sumner Bird Library	$150.03	
Public Library	5.72	
Lewis Drinking Fountain	1.95	
Cemetery Perpetual Care	8.74	
		$166.44
Sewer Connection Deposits		$60.00
Premium and Accrued Interest on Sewer Loans		$39.40
Sewer Assessment Fund		$12,668.12
Water Available Surplus		$58,825.84

Departmental:		
Telephone Tolls	$111.27	
Sewer Connections	47.26	
Temporary Aid	52.00	
Aid to Dependent Children	552.56	
Veterans' Benefits	565.00	
School	3,782.71	
		5,110.80
Aid to Highways:		
State	$4,507.75	
County	873.75	
		5,381.50
Water:		
Rates	$302.08	
Construction	339.76	
		$641.84
Underestimates 1946:		
State Assessments	$1,580.71	
County Tax	518.41	
		$2,099.12
		$443,425.47

Federal Grants:		
A. D. C.—Adms.	$585.99	
A. D. C.—Aid	593.97	
O. A. A.—Adms.	403.22	
O. A. A.—Aid	3,088.52	
Smith-Hughes Fund	22.52	
		$4,694.22
Unexpended Appropriation Balances		$54,915.59
Overlay Reserve Fund		$26,801.90
Overlays, 1946		5,686.43
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes	$607.37	
Special Assessment	3,509.50	
Tax Title	3,884.99	
Tax Possession	4,349.21	
Departmental	5,110.80	
Aid to Highways	5,381.50	
Water	641.84	
		$23,485.21
Surplus Revenue		$244,292.17
		$443,425.47

DEFERRED ACCOUNTS

Apportioned Sewer Assessments, Not Due	$5,426.73	Apportioned Sewer Assessment Revenue:	
		Due in 1947	$1,645.19
		" " 1948	1,475.68
		" " 1949	962.34
		" " 1950	493.76
		" " 1951	204.64
		" " 1952	25.49
		" " 1953	25.49
		" " 1954	25.47
			$4,858.06
		Suspended	568.67
	$5,426.73		$5,426.73

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	$104,100.00	Sewer Loan (1931)	$75,000.00
		Sewer Loans (1946)	13,100.00
		Bridge and Street Loan (1938)	6,000.00
		Water Loan (1918)	10,000.00
	$104,100.00		$104,100.00

TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

Trust and Investment Funds:		Charles Fales Scholarship Fund	$98,528.29
Cash and Securities	$201,683.32	Bird Scholarship Fund	35.03
		Charles Sumner Bird Library Fund	16,986.59
		Lucy J. Gould Library Fund	548.21
		Mary W. Hyde Library Fund	669.36
		Public Library Fund	2,972.73
		Walpole Emergency Medical Aid Fund	53,025.24
		Lewis Drinking Fountain Fund	605.49
		Frederick E. Clapp Memorial Fund	692.37
		Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	2,076.59
		Michael J. Medvaskas Private Fund	605.42
		Post-War Rehabilitation Fund	24,938.00
	$201,683.32		$201,683.32

REVENUE ACCOUNTS—RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

Balance Jan. 1 1946	Appropriations by Taxation	Transfers and Receipts	Totals	ACCOUNTS	Expenditures	Transfers to other Accounts	Transfers to Revenue	Balance Dec. 31 1946
				General Government				
	$450.00	$275.00	$725.00	Appropriations Committee	$654.96		$70.04	
	140.00		140.00	Town Planning Board	132.00		8.00	
	30.00		30.00	Trust Fund Commissioners	12.00		18.00	
	1,971.00	1,325.00	3,296.00	Selectmen's Department	3,295.83		.17	
	3,732.00	20.00	3,752.00	Accountant's Department	3,721.15		.85	$30.00
$7.93			7.93	Accountant's Department (1945)	7.93			
	4,558.00		4,558.00	Treasurer's Department	4,189.42		368.58	
	250.00		250.00	Treas.---Tax Title Expenses	8.18		241.82	
	5,001.65	330.00	5,331.65	Collector's Department	5,287.74		43.91	
318.75			318.75	Assessors' Department (1945)	318.75			
	6,755.00		6,755.00	Assessors' Department	6,750.46		4.54	
1.50			1.50	Town Clerk's Department (1945)	1.50			
	1,190.35		1,190.35	Town Clerk's Department	1,186.48		3.87	
1.80		1,867.00	1,868.80	Town Clerk---Dog License Returns to County	1,838.20			30.60
	1,803.00		1,803.00	Election and Registration	1,783.41		19.59	
	996.00		996.00	Election and Registration (Street Lists)	893.98		102.02	
	2,777.00		2,777.00	Town Hall and Blackburn Mem. Bldg.	2,703.10		73.90	
		1,513.88	1,513.88	Contributory Retirement System Fund	1,513.88			
	2,080.00		2,080.00	Law Department	2,047.05		32.95	
				Protection of Persons & Property				
	35,959.00	426.05	36,385.05	Police Department	36,374.79		10.26	
	300.00		300.00	Police---Special Officers	293.46		6.54	
	480.00	78.00	558.00	Police---School Traffic	541.50		16.50	
		800.00	800.00	Police Officer---F. B. I. Nat'l Academy, Washington, D. C.	800.00			
	3,117.60		3117.60	Chief of Fire Dept.---Salary	3,117.60			

REVENUE ACCOUNTS—RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES—Cont.

Balance Jan. 1 1946	Appropriations by Taxation	Transfers and Receipts	Totals	ACCOUNTS	Expenditures	Transfers to other Accounts	Transfers to Revenue	Balance Dec. 31 1946
	4,586.20		4,586.20	Fire---Firemen's Salaries	4,512.60		73.60	
	2,000.00		2,000.00	Fire---Firemen's Services	1,505.40		1.90	492.70
	885.00		885.00	Fire---Maintenance of Equipment	879.15		5.85	
	1,072.00		1,072.00	Fire---Expenses	1,068.75		3.25	
36.45			36.45	Fire---Maintenance of Equipment (1945)	36.45			
	114.20		114.20	Fire---New Equipment	114.20			750.00
		750.00	750.00	Fire---Committee on New Fire Station				
	725.00		725.00	Fire Alarm	724.14		.86	
	1,273.00		1,273.00	Sealer of Weights and Measures	1,267.95		5.05	
	1,350.00		1,350.00	Inspector of Buildings	1,341.70		8.30	
	90.00		90.00	Forest Fires---Salaries	90.00			
	1,650.00		1,650.00	Forest Fires---Firemen's Services	1,563.70		3.10	83.20
	366.30		366.30	Forest Fires---Maintenance of Equipment	364.96		1.34	
233.65			233.65	Forest Fires---Firemen's Services, 1945	233.65			
148.93			148.93	Forest Fires---Maintenance of Equipment (1945)	148.93			
	155.00		155.00	Forest Fires---Expenses (1946)	149.94		5.06	
4,800.00			4,800.00	Forest Fires Tank Truck	4,800.00			
	100.00		100.00	Forest Fires Radio			100.00	
	250.00		250.00	Forest Fires---New Hose	245.15		4.85	
	2,900.00		2,900.00	Insect Pest Extermination	2,900.00			
	1,560.00	1,000.00	2,560.00	Tree Department	2,560.00			
				Health and Sanitation				
	660.00		660.00	Health Officer---Salary	660.00			
	3,462.00		3,462.00	Health Department	3,330.68		131.32	
	2,400.00		2,400.00	Walpole Visiting Nurse	2,400.00			

REVENUE ACCOUNTS—RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES—Cont.

Balance Jan. 1 1946	Appropriations by Taxation	Transfers and Receipts	Totals	ACCOUNTS	Expenditures	Transfers to other Accounts	Transfers to Revenue	Balance Dec. 31 1946
	5,164.11		5,164.11	Norfolk Co. Hospital Maintenance, 1946	5,164.11			
	2,160.00		2,160.00	Dental Hygienist	2,160.00			
	1,660.00	15.35	1,675.35	Dental Clinic	984.81		690.54	
300.00			300.00	Drainage, Glenwood Ave. (1946)		300.00		
	3,800.00		3,800.00	Garbage Disposal	3,800.00			
3.27		2,500.00	2,503.27	Sewer Maintenance and Connections	2,253.20	250.07		
214.55			214.55	Grover St. Sewer Extension	214.55			
	2,500.00		2,500.00	Ellis St. Sewer Extension	2,500.00			
		2,000.00	2,000.00	Fuller Ave. Sewer Extension	1,993.17	6.83		
		15,945.40	15,945.40	School and Maple Sts. Sewer Ext.	13,312.30			2,633.10
		6,100.00	6,100.00	Hanson Ave. and Wedgemere Ct. Sewer Extensions	4,204.52			1,895.48
		2,500.00	2,500.00	Engineering Construction of Sewers (E. W.)				2,500.00
6,727.97		8,591.17	15,319.14	Sewer Assessment Fund		2,651.02		12,668.12
				Highways and Bridges (Public Works)				
	6,929.80	5,106.00	12,035.80	Administration	12,035.66		.14	
	2,636.00		2,636.00	Engineering	2,636.00			
	49,424.00	2,506.17	51,930.17	Highway Maintenance	51,885.49		44.68	
	1,737.60		1,737.60	Maintenance of Town Dump	1,737.60			
	10,000.00	2,500.00	12,500.00	Snow and Ice Removal	9,961.22		2,326.45	212.33
93.89			93.89	Snow & Ice Removal (1945)	93.89			
	175.00		175.00	Care of Beacons	157.09		17.91	
	475.00	110.00	585.00	Traffic Equipment and Repairs	567.28		17.72	
	500.00		500.00	Bridge and Culvert Repairs	500.00			
	2,000.00		2,000.00	Sidewalk Repairs	2,000.00			
	900.00		900.00	Charles St. Sidewalk	900.00			

REVENUE ACCOUNTS—RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES—Cont.

Balance Jan. 1 1946	Appropriations by Taxation	Transfers and Receipts	Totals	ACCOUNTS	Expenditures	Transfers to other Accounts	Transfers to Revenue	Balance Dec. 31 1946
				Engineering---Calvert Rd., Marston Rd.				
		1,000.00	1,000.00	and Charlotte Rd.	1,000.00			
		35,722.93	35,722.93	New Highway Equipment	20,773.05	1,518.00		13,431.88
		6,966.00	6,966.00	High Plain St. Improvement	3,345.80			3,620.20
	500.00		500.00	Morse St. Improvement	500.00			
	1,000.00		1,000.00	Neponset St. Improvement				1,000.00
	1,000.00		1,000.00	Old Post Road Improvement	439.89		560.11	
		600.00	600.00	Rebuilding Occident Circle				600.00
		13,500.00	13,500.00	Rebuilding Summer Street	13,500.00			
	31,932.00	3,874.00	35,806.00	Repairs to Public Buildings	27,820.85	7,985.15		
	8,775.00	2,900.00	11,675.00	Fuel---Public Buildings	11,559.99		115.01	
1,484.60			1,484.60	Diamond St. Improvement (1941)				1,484.60
	1,000.00	2,000.00	3,000.00	Maintenance of Chapter 90 Roads	2,720.95	279.05		
1,891.74	529.08		2,420.82	Land Damages	44.74	675.84		1,700.24
	15,660.00		15,660.00	Street Lighting	14,104.75		210.12	1,345.13
1,289.14			1,289.14	Street Lighting (1945)	1,289.14			
				Welfare—Soldiers' Benefits and A. D. C.				
	15,248.00	98.08	15,346.08	Public Welfare	15,344.46		1.62	
	2,000.00		2,000.00	Soldiers' Relief	1,646.12		353.88	
	200.00	10.00	210.00	State Aid	40.00		170.00	
	2,000.00		2,000.00	Military Aid	1,020.00		980.00	
	6,403.84		6,403.84	Aid to Dependent Children	4,478.97		1,924.87	
				Aid to Dependent Children (U. S.				
479.77		1,194.98	1,674.75	Grants)	494.79			1,179.96
100.00			100.00	Soldiers' Benefits (1945)	100.00			

REVENUE ACCOUNTS—RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES—Cont.

Balance Jan. 1 1946	Appropriations by Taxation	Transfers and Receipts	Totals	ACCOUNTS	Expenditures	Transfers to other Accounts	Transfers to Revenue	Balance Dec. 31 1946
				Bureau of Old Age Assistance				
	27,227.96	91.83	27,319.79	Old Age Assistance	27,013.37		306.42	
5,939.01		19,055.63	24,994.64	Old Age Assistance (U. S. Grants)	21,502.90			3,491.74
				Education and Library				
22.52			22.52	Smith-Hughes Fund				22.52
	198,421.60	1,462.40	199,884.00	Schools---Salaries	199,606.68		277.32	
	41,540.00	3,501.75	45,041.75	Schools---Expenses	45,031.33		10.42	
23,000.00			23,000.00	Purchase of School Buses (Trans.)		23,000.00		
12,500.00			12,500.00	Housing, Maintenance and Operation of Town-Owned Buses (Trans.)		12,500.00		
	10,752.00		10,752.00	Public Library (Salaries)	9,903.25		848.75	
	4,019.00		4,019.00	Public Library (Expenses)	4,019.00			
43.00			43.00	Public Library (1945)	43.00			
				Recreation and Unclassified				
	21,865.00	675.00	22,540.00	Parks and School Grounds	22,373.06		166.94	
	608.00		608.00	Swimming Pool	567.09		40.91	
	250.00		250.00	Town Forest	250.00			
	6,183.59	299.06	6,482.65	Town Insurance	6,361.63		121.02	
	2,348.61	496.39	2,845.00	Workmen's Compensation (Liability Insurance	2,845.00			
	1,001.20		1,001.20	Town Report	1,001.20			
	40.00		40.00	Town Clock	35.58		4.42	
		900.00	900.00	Storm Damage	900.00			
	300.00		300.00	Band Concerts	300.00			
	450.00		450.00	Memorial Day	290.57		159.43	
125.00			125.00	Land Court Survey (Asbury Park)		125.00		
		29.29	29.29	Youth Guidance Committee	29.29			

REVENUE ACCOUNTS—RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES—Cont.

Balance Jan. 1 1946	Appropriations by Taxation	Transfers and Receipts	Totals	ACCOUNTS	Expenditures	Transfers to other Accounts	Transfers to Revenue	Balance Dec. 31 1946
348.95			348.95	Committee---Post War Rehabilitation	61.24		287.71	
	100.00		100.00	Honor Roll Board	75.00		25.00	
	750.00		750.00	Recreation Commission	208.50			541.50
		2,000.00	2000.00	Plans and Specifications---Mem. Park				2,000.00
		11,500.00	11,500.00	Boyden School Swimming Pool				11,500.00
		1,200.00	1,200.00	Survey of Pay Structures and Salaries of Town Employees	210.27			989.73
	2,020.00		2,020.00	Veterans' Rehabilitation Officer	1,906.95		113.05	
	1,000.00		1,000.00	Stone St. School Committee---Expenses				1,000.00
		550.00	550.00	Committee to Revise Zoning Laws				550.00
		4,000.00	4,000.00	Engineering---West Walpole Town-Owned Land				4,000.00
		10,000.00	10,000.00	Reserve Fund		6,455.42	3,544.58	
	1.00		1.00	Lease of Land (So. Walpole Public Dump)	1.00			
				Cemeteries and Care of Soldiers' Graves				
	125.00		125.00	*Town Cemetery*	125.00			
	270.00	5.00	275.00	Care of Soldiers' Graves	275.00			
55.50			55.50	Markers---Revolution and Civil War Graves				55.50
				Interest and Debt				
	3,012.50		3,012.50	Interest (Excluding Water Interest)	2,912.50		100.00	
	8,000.00		8,000.00	Maturing Debt, Excluding Water Debt	8,000.00			
		32.75	32.75	Premium on Sewer Loans				32.75
		6.65	6.65	Accrued Interest on Sewer Loans				6.65
		562.50	562.50	Water Interest	562.50			
		5,000.00	5,000.00	Water Debt	5,000.00			

REVENUE ACCOUNTS—RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES—Cont.

Balance Jan. 1 1946	Appropriations by Taxation	Transfers and Receipts	Totals	ACCOUNTS	Expenditures	Transfers to other Accounts	Transfers to Revenue	Balance Dec. 31 1946
				Adms.—Trust Fund Income				
		3,386.03	3,386.03	Income---Chas. Fales Scholarship Fund	3,386.03			
28.88		150.00	178.88	Income---Chas. Sumner Bird Library Fund	28.85			150.03
237.45		317.35	554.80	Income---Walpole Emergency Medical Aid Fund	554.80			8.75
36.62			36.62	Income---Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	27.88			5.72
17.22			17.22	Income---Library Trust Funds	11.50			1.95
1.95			1.95	Income---Lewis Fountain Fund				
		5.50	5.50	Income---F. E. Clapp Memorial Fund	5.50			
				Public Service Enterprise				
63,803.79		57,496.20	121,299.99	Water Available Surplus		62,474.15		58,825.84
		39,306.76	39,306.76	Water Dept.---Maintenance	39,276.28	30.48		
	900.42		900.42	Water---Francis William Park	900.42			
814.68			814.68	Water Dept. (Unpaid Bills, 1945)	814.68			
		250.00	250.00	Replacing Water Main---May St.	245.79	4.21		
		2,500.00	2,500.00	Engineering Study Water System, E. W.				2,500.00
		600.00	600.00	Kendall St. Water Extension	594.15	5.85		
		1,000.00	1,000.00	Morse St. Water Extension	1,000.00			
59.73			59.73	North St. Water Extension (1945)		59.73		
.78			.78	Spear Ave. Water Extension (1945)		.78		
		7,800.00	7,800.00	Stone St. Water Extension	7,800.00			
$125,169.02	$604,684.61	$298,305.10	$1,028,158.73		$763,711.90	$118,321.58	$14,785.04	$131,340.21

NON-REVENUE ACCOUNTS

Balance Jan. 1 1946	Totals		Dec. 31, 1946 Transferred to Rev. Cash
$17.34	$17.34	South Walpole School Building	$17.34
	5.65	Water Standpipe	5.65
5.65			
$22.99	$22.99		$22.99

DETAILED STATEMENT OF FIXED TOWN DEBT
DECEMBER 31, 1946

Loans Due in	Date of Issue	Date of Maturity	%	Amount
1947				
New Water Loan	June 1, 1918	June 1, 1947	4½	$5,000 00
Sewer Loan (1931)	Aug. 1, 1931	Aug. 1, 1947	3½	5,000 00
Sewer Loan (1946)	Sept. 1, 1946	Sept. 1, 1947	1½	1,000 00
P. W. A. Street and Bridge Loan	Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1947	1¼	3,000 00
Sewer Loan (1946)	Nov. 1, 1946	Nov. 1, 1947	1½	1,100 00
				$15,100 00
1948				
New Water Loan	June 1, 1918	June 1, 1948	4½	$5,000 00
Sewer Loan (1931)	Aug. 1, 1931	Aug. 1, 1948	3½	5,000 00
Sewer Loan (1946)	Sept. 1, 1946	Sept. 1, 1948	1½	1,000 00
P. W. A. Street and Bridge Loan	Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1948	1¼	3,000 00
Sewer Loan (1946)	Nov. 1, 1946	Nov. 1, 1948	1½	1,000 00
				$15,000 00
1949				
Sewer Loan (1931)	Aug. 1, 1931	Aug. 1, 1949	3½	$5,000 00
Sewer Loan (1946)	Sept. 1, 1946	Sept. 1, 1949	1½	1,000 00
Sewer Loan (1946)	Nov. 1, 1946	Nov. 1, 1949	1½	1,000 00
				$7,000 00
1950				
Sewer Loan (1931)	Aug. 1, 1931	Aug. 1, 1950	3½	$5,000 00
Sewer Loan (1946)	Sept. 1, 1946	Sept. 1, 1950	1½	1,000 00
Sewer Loan (1946)	Nov. 1, 1946	Nov. 1, 1950	1½	1,000 00
				$7,000 00
1951				
Sewer Loan (1931)	Aug. 1, 1931	Aug. 1, 1951	3½	$5,000 00
Sewer Loan (1946)	Sept. 1, 1946	Sept. 1, 1951	1½	1,000 00
Sewer Loan (1946)	Nov. 1, 1946	Nov. 1, 1951	1½	1,000 00
				$7,000 00
1952				
Sewer Loan (1931)	Aug. 1, 1931	Aug. 1, 1952	3½	$5,000 00
Sewer Loan (1946)	Sept. 1, 1946	Sept. 1, 1952	1½	1,000 00
Sewer Loan (1946)	Nov. 1, 1946	Nov. 1, 1952	1½	1,000 00
				$7,000 00
1953				
Sewer Loan (1931)	Aug. 1, 1931	Aug. 1, 1953	3½	$5,000 00
Sewer Loan (1946)	Sept. 1, 1946	Sept. 1, 1953	1½	1,000 00
				6,000 00
1954				
Sewer Loan	Aug. 1, 1931	Aug. 1, 1954	3½	5,000 00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF FIXED TOWN DEBT—(Continued)
DECEMBER 31, 1946

Loans Due in	Date of Issue	Date of Maturity	%	Amount
1955 Sewer Loan	Aug. 1, 1931	Aug. 1, 1955	3½	$5,000 00
1956 Sewer Loan	Aug. 1, 1931	Aug. 1, 1956	3½	$5,000 00
1957 Sewer Loan	Aug. 1, 1931	Aug. 1, 1957	3½	$5,000 00
1958 Sewer Loan	Aug. 1, 1931	Aug. 1, 1958	3½	$5,000 00
1959 Sewer Loan	Aug. 1, 1931	Aug. 1, 1959	3½	$5,000 00
1960 Sewer Loan	Aug. 1, 1931	Aug. 1, 1960	3½	$5,000 00
1961 Sewer Loan	Aug. 1, 1931	Aug. 1, 1961	3½	$5,000 00
				$104,100 00

DEBT STATEMENT

Summary of Outstanding Indebtedness, December 31, 1946

Loan	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1946	Issued in 1946	Paid in 1946	Outstanding Dec. 31, 1946	Due in 1947	Interest Due in 1947
Water Loan (1918)	$15,000.00		$5,000.00	$10,000.00	$5,000.00	$337.50
Sewer Loan (1931)	$80,000.00		$5,000.00	$75,000.00	$5,000.00	$2,625.00
P. W. A. Street and Bridge Loan (1938)	$9,000.00		$3,000.00	$6,000.00	$3,000.00	$75.00
Sewer Loan (1946)		$13,100.00		$13,000.00	$2,100.00	$196.50
	$104,000.00	$13,100.00	$13,000.00	$104,100.00	$15,100.00	$3,234.00

THE LIMITATION OF INDEBTEDNESS
DECEMBER 31, 1946

Under Chapter 44, Section 10, General Laws, the amount which the Town may borrow in addition to the present debt is as follows:

Valuation of the three preceding years reduced by abatements to date:

1944			$13,208,737 56
1945			13,375,841 95
1946			13,656,260 49
			$40,240,839 10
Average Valuation			$13,413,613 03
3% of Average Valuation			$402,408 39
Present Fixed Debt		$104,100 00	
Loans Outside Debt Limit:			
Water Loans	$10,000 00		
P. W. A. Street and Bridge Loan	6,000 00		
Sewer Loans	$88,100 00	$104,100 00	
Available borrowing capacity inside the debt limit December 31, 1946			$402,408 39

KATHERINE J. HIGGINS,
Town Accountant.

OTIS J. A. DIONNE
Born Fall River, Mass., 1886
Died January 19, 1946
Tax Collector 1913 - 1919

TOWN TREASURER . . .

Summary of 1946 transactions which are shown in detail in report of Town Accountant.

Balance on hand January 1, 1946	390,898.20
Receipts during 1946	866,021.17
	$1,256,919.37
Payments during 1946	860,228.47
Balance, December 31, 1946	396,690.90
Excess cash December 31, 1946	3.34
Balance on hand December 31, 1946	396,694.24
Cash in office	9,528.42
Federal Tax withheld (4th quarter)	9,378.23
Norfolk County Trust Co. of Walpole	144,648.19
Day Trust Co. of Boston	133,139.40
Merchants National Bank of Boston	75,000.00
Second National Bank of Boston	25,000.00
	$396,694.24

HERBERT W. LEWIS, TREASURER.

COLLECTOR OF TAXES . . .

Revised State Laws have made the collection of local taxes a work that entails much new detail and added revenue. In 1946 as a result of issuing a separate bill for each separate parcel of real estate the total number of bills has increased by several thousand.

The record of collections as shown in the Auditor's report was excellent.

JAMES H. GINLEY.

INSURANCE RECORD . . .

Town Hall	$60,000.00	E/S Main Street
Blackburn Memorial	59,000.00	N/S Stone Street
Public Library	65,000.00	S/S Common Street
Boyden School	55,000.00	E/S Washington Street
Bird School	190,000.00	W/S Washington Street
Plimpton School	69,000.00	S/S Common Street
Fisher School	40,000.00	W/S Main Street
High School	375,000.00	S/S Common Street
Stone School	45,000.00	W/S School Street
Central Fire Station	6,000.00	N/S Stone Street
East Walpole Fire Station	24,000.00	W/S Washington Street
So. Walpole Fire Station	14,000.00	N/S Summer Street
Pumping Station	20,000.00	W/S Washington Street
New Storehouse	4,000.00	W/S Washington Street
Storage Highway Equipment	3,000.00	W/S Washington Street
Storage Highway Tools	3,250.00	W/S Washington Street
Highway Garage	7,100.00	W/S Washington Street
Tool and Blacksmith Shop	350.00	W/S Washington Street
Storage Shed	1,800.00	W/S Washington Street
W. Walpole Pumping Station	5,000.00	E/S Norfolk Street
Pump House	2,000.00	S/S High Plain Street
Dwelling	3,500.00	656 South Street
Standpipe, 665,000 gals.	12,000.00	
Standpipe, 423,000 gals.	15,000.00	
Standpipe, 1,000,000 gals.	22,000.00	
Elevator Tank, West Walpole	18,000.00	
Elevator Tank, South Walpole	10,000.00	
Barn (loft)	450.00	R. 656 South Street
Dwelling	8,000.00	1303 Washington Street
Dwelling	3,750.00	1415 Washington Street
Garage	2,000.00	Massachusetts Ave.
Barn	450.00	1415 Washington Street
E. Walpole Library Building	7,500.00	Cor. Union & Wolcott
Flag Poles	1,000.00	Ave.
Town Plans and Records of same at Town Hall	5,000.00	E/S Main Street
Contents of all Town Buildings	210,000.00	
Standard Weights and Measures	1,000.00	Bird School Building

Motor Fire Apparatus

Co. No. 1, Ahrens Fox Comb. Truck	$2,400.00
Co. No. 1, Ahrens Fox H. & L. Truck	1,700.00
Co. No. 2, Ahrens Fox Comb. Truck	2,400.00
Co. No. 3, Ahrens Fox Comb. Truck	2,400.00
Co. No. 2, Ahrens Fox H. & L. Truck	1,900.00
FWD	4,500.00
Co. No. 3, Fire Truck	750.00
Co. No. 2, Ford Forest Fire Truck	300.00
Forest Fire Truck	750.00

Other Motor Apparatus

Chevrolet Truck Runabout (Highways)	550.00
Cletrac Tractor, 1922 and Plow	300.00
Cletrac Tractor, 1930	300.00
Holt Tractor, and Sargent Plow Att.	400.00
Park Dept., Ford Truck	2,000.00

White Truck (Highways) 3½ ton	1,600.00
FWD Truck	7,000.00
Buffalo - Springfield Gasoline Roller	6,000.00
John Deere Tractor	1,800.00
McCormick - Deering	1,000.00
1 Chevrolet Dump Truck	2,000.00
2 Chevrolet Dump Trucks	1,300.00
Mack Truck (Highways) 5 ton	7,000.00
Auto Car (Highways) 2½ ton	2,300.00
Water Dept. Mack Truck, 2½ ton	1,000.00
Chevrolet Coupe, (Engineer)	700.00
2 Police Cars	2,000.00
1 Fire Dept. Coupe	700.00
Motor Grader	6,000.00
Patrol Sweeper	4,000.00

Automobile Casualty Insurance

Park Dept., (Ford Truck) Liability Limit	10,000.00
2 Highway Chevrolet Trucks (each) Liability limit	10,000.00
1 Highway White Dump Truck, Liability limit	10,000.00
Mack Truck	10,000.00
1 Chevrolet Truck, Bldg. Dept.	10,000.00
Auto Car Truck (Highway) Liability limit	10,000.00
Water Dept., 2½ ton Truck, Liability limit	10,000.00
2 Highway Chevrolet Trucks, Liability limit	10,000.00
Chevrolet Coupe, Fire Dept.	10,000.00
Chevrolet Coupe (Engineer) Liability limit	10,000.00
2 Police Cars, Liability limit (each)	10,000.00
	5,000.00
Town Hall, Liability	10,000.00

Workmen's Compensation

Employers' Liability	217,600.00
Public Liability	79,000.00
Steam Boiler Insurance—including	10,000.00
Steam Road Roller	
Machinery Policy	10,000.00

Burglary and Holdup Insurance

Cash and Securities in safe and office of Treasurer—Burglary inside	1,333.00
Holdup inside	1,333.00
Cash and securities in safe and office of Collector—Burglary inside	4,000.00
Holdup inside	4,000.00
Cash-Treasurer—Outside Holdup	5,000.00
Cash Collector—Outside Holdup	10,000.00
Check or Draft Alteration Policy	7,500.00

REPORT OF AN AUDIT OF THE ACCOUNTS OF THE TOWN OF WALPOLE . . .

February 10, 1947

To the Board of Selectmen
Mr. Willis D. McLean, Chairman
Walpole, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Walpole for the year ending December 31, 1946, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. Herman B. Dine, Assistant Director of Accounts.

Very truly yours,
FRANCIS X. LANG
Director of Accounts

Mr. Francis X. Lang
Director of Accounts
Department of Corporations and Taxation
State House, Boston

Sir:

In accordance with our instructions, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Walpole for the year ending December 31, 1946, and submit the following report thereon:

The records of financial transactions of the several departments receiving or disbursing money for the town, or committing bills for collection, were examined, checked, and verified by comparison with the records of the town treasurer and the town accountant.

The general and appropriation accounts in the ledger were analyzed, a trial balance was taken off, the necessary adjustments resulting from the audit were made, and a balance sheet showing the financial condition of the town on December 31, 1946 was prepared and is appended to this report. This balance sheet indicates that the town's financial condition is excellent.

The appropriations were compared with the town clerk's records of financial votes passed in town meetings and the transfers from the

reserve fund were checked to the finance committee's authorizations of such transfers.

An examination of the paid payrolls on file showed that a number of payrolls lacked sufficient information to establish their correctness. All payrolls should show, in addition to the employees' names and the amount due, the rate of pay and the period of employment.

In checking the paid vouchers it was noted that in accordance with a vote of the town which provided for an appropriation of $800. to send a police officer to the F. B. I. National Academy in Washington, the sum of $800. was paid over to a police officer on July 3, 1946 and no accounting has been made thereof to the town.

The books and accounts of the town treasurer were examined and checked. The cash book was footed throughout, the recorded receipts were analyzed and compared with the departmental records of payments to the treasurer and with the other sources from which money was paid into the town treasury, while the records of disbursements were compared with the acccountant's books and with the treasury warrants.

The treasurer's cash balance on December 31, 1946 was proved by actual count of the cash in the office and by reconciliation of the bank balances with statements furnished by the banks in which town funds are deposited.

The payments made for maturing debt and interest were compared with the cancelled securities and coupons on file and with the amounts falling due.

The records of tax titles and tax possessions held by the town were examined and listed. The amounts transferred from the tax levies to the tax title account were reconciled with the tax collector's books, and the redemptions of tax titles and sales of tax possessions were compared with the treasurer's receipts. The tax titles on hand were further verified by checking with the records in the Registry of Deeds.

The savings bank books and securities representing the investments of the trust and investment funds in the custody of the town treasurer were examined and listed. The income was proved and the expenditures and transfers to the town were verified.

The books and accounts of the tax collector were examined and checked in detail. The tax and assessment accounts outstanding according to the previous examination, and all subsequent commitments, were audited and compared with the warrants issued for their collection. The recorded collections were compared with the payments to the treasurer, the abatements were checked with the assessors' records of abatements granted, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved with the town accountant's ledger.

The books and accounts of the collector of water charges were examined and checked. The commitment and cash books were footed,

the payments to the treasurer were verified, the abatements were checked to the departmental records of abatements granted, and the outstanding accounts were listed and compared with the town accountant's ledger.

The outstanding tax, assessment, and water accounts were verified by mailing notices to a number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the town and from the replies received thereto it appears that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

It is recommended that consideration be given to the advisability of passing a by-law, in accordance with Section 38A, Chapter 41, General Laws, whereby the tax collector would collect, under the title of town collector, all accounts due the town.

The assessors' records of apportioned sewer assessments not due were examined and checked. The apportionments added to taxes were checked, the payments to the treasurer in advanc were verified, and the apportioned assessments not due were listed and proved with the accountant's ledger.

Interest on deferred sewer assessments paid in advance should be collected in accordance with the provisions of Section 13, Chapter 80, General Laws, which reads, in part, as follows:

> "Notwithstanding a prior apportionment, the assessors, upon written application of the owner of the land assessed, shall order that the amount remaining unpaid of any assessment be payable in full forthwith and shall commit said amount, together with interest thereon from thirty days after the commitment of the original assessment, with their warrant therefor, to the collector for collection."

The financial records of the town clerk were examined and checked. The records of dog and sporting licenses issued and of receipts for marriage permits, recording fees, and miscellaneous charges were checked. The payments to the State and the town were verified and the cash on hand was proved.

The surety bonds furnished by the several officials required to file such bonds were examined and found to be in proper form.

The records of licenses and permits issued by the selectmen, building inspector, and health department were examined and checked and the recorded collections were compared with the payments to the treasurer.

The recorded receipts of the sealer of weights and measures, and of the highway, school, and library departments, as well as of all other departments in which money was collected for the town, were examined and checked, and the payments to the town treasurer were verified.

In addition to the balance sheet mentioned, there are appended to this report tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's and

the collector's cash, summaries of the tax, assessment, tax title, departmental, and water accounts, as well as tables showing the condition and transactions of the trust and investment funds.

While engaged in making the audit, cooperation was received from the town officials, for which, I wish, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,
HERMAN B. DINE
Assistant Director of Accounts

RECONCILIATION OF TREASURER'S CASH

Balance January 1, 1946:			
Revenue	$390,875.21		
Non-revenue	22.99		
		$390,898.20	
Receipts		866,021.17	
			$1,256,919.37
Payments		$860,228.47	
Balance December 31, 1946		396,690.90	
			$1,256,919.37
Balance December 31, 1946		$396,690.90	
Excess cash December 31, 1946		3.34	
			$396,694.24

Cash in banks and office December 31, 1946:			
In banks:			
Norfolk County Trust Company:			
General, per check book	$144,648.19		
Federal withholding taxes per receipts	9,378.23		
Day Trust Company of Boston, per check book and statement	133,139.40		
Merchants National Bank of Boston, per check book and statement	75,000.00		
Second National Bank of Boston, per check book and statement	25,000.00	$387,165.82	
In office, verified		9,528.42	
			$396,694.24

Norfolk County Trust Company

Balance December 31, 1946, per statement		$161,386.53
Balance December 31, 1946, per check register	$144,648.19	
Outstanding checks December 31, 1946 per list	16,738.34	
		$161,386.53

RECONCILIATION OF COLLECTOR'S CASH

Petty cash advance		$100.00
Cash on hand December 31, 1946, verified		$100.00
PERSONAL TAXES—1944		
Outstanding January 1, 1946		$142.77
Payments to treasurer 1946	$121.53	
Abatements 1946	21.24	
		$142.77

REAL ESTATE TAXES—1944		
Outstanding January 1, 1946		$3,096 69
Payments to treasurer 1946	$3,004 26	
Abatments 1946	24 87	
Transfers to tax titles 1946	67 56	
		$3,096 69
POLL TAXES—1945		
Outstanding January 1, 1946	$52 00	
Abatement and payment refunded 1946	2 00	
		$54 00
Payments to treasurer 1946	$34 00	
Abatements 1946	20 00	
		$54 00
PERSONAL TAXES—1945		
Outstanding January 1, 1946		$929 19
Payments to treasurer 1946	$924 07	
Abatements 1946	5 12	
		$929 19
REAL ESTATE TAXES—1945		
Outstanding January 1, 1946	$23,773 60	
Abatements and payments refunded 1946	153 60	
		$23,927 20
Payments to treasurer 1946	$23,692 71	
Abatements 1946	138 62	
Transfers to tax titles 1946	95 87	
		$23,927 20
POLL TAXES—1946		
Commitment per warrant	$4,928 00	
Additional commitment	62 00	
Abatements and payments refunded	6 00	
		$4,996 00
Payments to treasurer 1946	$3,642 00	
Abatements 1946	1,352 00	
Unlocated difference adjusted December 31, 1946	2 00	
		$4,996 00
PERSONAL TAXES—1946		
Commitment per warrant	$51,156 62	
Abatement and payment refunded	1 82	
		$51,158 44
Payments to treasurer	$50,377 38	
Abatements	192 92	
Outstanding December 31, 1946, per list	588 14	
		$51,158 44
REAL ESTATE TAXES—1946		
Commitment per warrant	$331,282 67	
Additional commitment	921 06	
Commitment list in exeess of warrant	04	
Abatements and payments refunded	115 08	
Transferred to tax titles and paid	2 94	
		$332,321 79
Payments to treasurer	$309,699 35	
Abatements	1,902 74	
Transfers to tax titles	257 60	
Outstanding December 31, 1946, per list	20,462 10	
		$332,321 79

MOTOR VEHICLES EXCISE TAXES—1945		
Outstanding January 1, 1946	$192.57	
Abatement and payment refunded 1946	1.34	
		$193.91
Payments to treasurer 1946	$150.91	
Abatements 1946	43.00	
		$193.91
MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAXES—1946		
Commitment per warrants	$15,313.01	
Abatements and payments refunded	56.91	
		$15,369.92
Payments to treasurer	$14,566.96	
Abatements	195.59	
Outstanding December 31, 1946, per list	607.37	
		$15,369.92
UNAPPORTIONED SEWER ASSESSMENTS		
Commitment 1946		$6,722.45
Payments to treasurer	$2,866.71	
Abatement	197.97	
Assessments suspended	568.67	
Outstanding December 31, 1946, per list	3,089.10	$6,722.45
SEWER ASSESSMENTS—1944		
Outstanding January 1, 1946		$136.21
Payments to treasurer 1946		$136.21
COMMITTED INTEREST—1944		
Outstanding January 1, 1946		$47.98
Payments to treasurer 1946		$47.98
COMMITTED INTEREST—1945		
Outstanding January 1, 1946		$180.39
Payments to treasurer 1946	$177.35	
Committed interest 1945 reported as sewer assessments 1945	3.04	
		$180.39
COMMITTED INTEREST—1946		
Commitment per warrant		$435.61
Payments to treasurer	$327.58	
Abatements	7.82	
Transfers to tax titles	26.87	
Outstanding December 31, 1946, per list	73.34	
		$435.61
SEWER ASSESSMENTS—1945		
Outstanding January 1, 1946	$800.69	
Committed interest 1945 reported as sewer assessments 1945	3.04	
Interest on taxes reported as sewer assessments 1945	1.30	
		$805.03
Payments to treasurer 1946		$805.03
SEWER ASSESSMENTS—1946		
Commitment per warrant		$2,240.50
Payments to treasurer	$1,756.36	
Commitment reported in error	14.23	
Transfers to tax titles	122.85	
Outstanding December 31, 1946, per list	347.06	
		$2,240.50

APPORTIONED SEWER ASSESSMENTS NOT DUE

Balance January 1, 1946		$7,868 98	
Unapportioned sewer assessments suspended		568 67	
Added to taxes 1946 in error		14 23	
			$8,451 88
Payments to treasurer in advance		$784 65	
Added to taxes 1946		2,240 50	
Balance December 31, 1946, per list:			
Due in 1947	$1,645 19		
Due in 1948	1,475 68		
Due in 1949	962 34		
Due in 1950	493 76		
Due in 1951	204 64		
Due in 1952	25 49		
Due in 1953	25 49		
Due in 1954	25 47		
Suspended	568 67		
		5,426 73	
			$8,451 88

INTEREST AND COSTS ON TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

	Interest	Costs
Collections 1946:		
Personal taxes 1944	$4 10	$1 40
Real estate taxes 1944	178 04	10 65
Poll taxes 1945		2 80
Personal taxes 1945	4 49	3 85
Real estate taxes 1945	456 51	22 55
Poll taxes 1946	04	18 55
Personal taxes 1946	6 04	5 60
Real estate taxes 1946	65 44	10 15
Motor vehicle excise taxes 1945	21	8 05
Motor vehicle excise taxes 1946		28 70
	$714 87	$112 30
Payments to treasurer 1946	$713 57	$112 30
Interest on taxes reported as sewer assessments 1945	1 30	
	$714 87	

TAX TITLES

Balance January 1, 1946		$3,690 57	
Transferred to tax titles:			
Taxes 1944	$67 56		
Taxes 1945	95 87		
Taxes 1946	257 60		
Sewer assessments 1946	122 85		
Committed interest 1946	26 87		
Interest and costs	57 42		
		628 17	
			$4,318 74
Payments to treasurer		$430 81	
Transfers to tax titles and paid:—			
Taxes 1946		2 94	
Balance December 31, 1946, per list		3,884 99	
			$4,318 74

ADDITIONAL INTEREST AND COSTS ON TAX TITLE REDEMPTIONS

Collections 1946		$46 64
Payments to treasurer 1946		$46 64

TAX POSSESSIONS

Balance January 1, 1946	$4,909 44	
Sale price in excess of book value of tax possessions	664 77	
		$5,574 21
Payments to treasurer	$1,225 00	
Balance December 31, 1946, per list	4,349 21	
		$5,574 21

TOWN CLERK

Dog Licenses

Licenses issued 1946:			
Male	491 @	$2.00	$982 00
Spayed female	213 @	2.00	426 00
Female	89 @	5.00	445 00
Kennel	10 @	10.00	100 00
Kennel	1 @	25.00	25 00
Kennel	1 @	50.00	50 00
			$2,028 00
Payments to treasurer 1946			$1,867 00
Fees retained 1946	805 @	$.20	161 00
			$2,028 00

Sporting Licenses

Cash balance January 1, 1946			$3 50
Licenses issued:			
Resident citizens':			
Fishing	253 @	$2.00	$506 00
Hunting	180 @	2.00	360 00
Sporting	207 @	3.25	672 75
Minor and female fishing	73 @	1.25	91 25
Trapping	8 @	5.25	42 00
Non-resident citizens':			
Three-day fishing	2 @	1.50	3 00
Fishing	1 @	5.25	5 25
Hunting	1 @	10.25	10 25
Duplicates	3 @	.50	1 50
			$1,692 00
			$1,695 50
Payments to Division of Fisheries and Game			$1,368 25
Fees retained	725 @	$.25	181 25
Cash on hand December 31, 1946, verified			146 00
			$1,695 50

Miscellaneous Receipts

Receipts 1946:		
Certified copies	$96 50	
Gas station registrations	26 50	
Marriage permits	242 00	
Recording fees	279 43	
		$644 43
Payments to treasurer	$631 93	
Cash on hand December 31, 1946, verified	12 50	
		$644 43

SELECTMEN

Licenses and Permits

Outstanding January 1, 1946		$8.00	
Licenses and permits granted 1946:			
Amusement	$90.00		
Automobile agent	105.00		
Filling station	35.00		
Junk	50.00		
Liquor	8,916.00		
Pool and bowling	32.00		
Revolver	23.50		
Sunday	26.00		
Sale of firearms	9.60		
Theatre	10.00		
Victualler	52.00		
		9,349.10	
			$9,357.10
Payments to treasurer 1946			$9,357.10

RENTALS OF TOWN PROPERTY

Rent collections 1946		$1,990.00
Payments to treasurer 1946		$1,990.00

BLACKBURN MEMORIAL HALL

Rentals 1946		$135.00
Payments to treasurer 1946		$135.00

TELEPHONE TOLLS

Accounts Receivable

Charges 1946		$562.46
Payments to treasurer	$451.19	
Outstanding December 31, 1946, per list	111.27	
		$562.46

FOREST FIRES

Accounts Receivable

Charges 1946		$101.40
Payments to treasurer 1946		$101.40

BUILDING INSPECTOR

Cash balance January 1, 1946	$1.00	
Permits issued	615.00	
		$616.00
Payments to treasurer 1946		$616.00

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Cash balance January 1, 1946	$.20	
Fees	101.09	
		$101.29
Payments to treasurer	$98.69	
Cash balance December 31, 1946	2.60	
		$101.29

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Accounts Receivable

Charges 1946		$508.57
Payments to treasurer 1946		$508.57

Licenses and Permits

Licenses and permits issued 1946:		
Alcohol	$16.00	
Bottling	10.00	
Day camp	.50	
Milk	25.50	
Oleomargarine	1.50	
Pasteurization	50.00	
Plumbing	136.00	
Poultry	1.00	
Slaughter	2.00	
Undertaker	2.00	
		$244.50
Payments to treasurer 1946		$244.50

Slaughtering Fees

Fees 1946		$1,096.00
Payments to treasurer 1946		$1,096.00

Dental Clinic

Receipts 1946		$20.50
Payments to treasurer	$17.50	
Cash balance December 31, 1946	3.00	
		$20.50
Cash balance January 1, 1947	$3.00	
Receipts January 1 to 22, 1947	4.25	
		$7.25
Cash on hand January 22, 1947, verified		$7.25

SEWER CONNECTIONS

Accounts Receivable

Charges 1946		$1,336.77
Transferred from sewer connection deposits 1946	$1,289.51	
Outstanding December 31, 1946, per list	47.26	
		$1,336.77

SEWER CONNECTION DEPOSITS

Balance January 1, 1946	$203.63	
Deposits	1,545.74	
		$1,749.37
Refunds to depositors	$399.86	
Transferred to sewer connection accounts receivable	1,289.51	
Balance December 31, 1946, per list	60.00	
		$1,749.37

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Accounts Receivable

Charges 1946		$71.66
Payments to treasurer 1946		$71.66

Miscellaneous Receipts

Receipts 1946:		
Miscellaneous sales	$3.84	
Refund on tank	20.00	
Town maps	9.30	
		$33.14
Payments to treasurer 1946		$33.14

PUBLIC WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Temporary Aid—Accounts Receivable

Outstanding January 1, 1946	$52 00	
Charges	1,418 00	
		$1,470 00
Payments to treasurer	$1,418 00	
Outstanding December 31, 1946, per list	52 00	
		$1,470 00

Aid to Dependent Children—Accounts Receivable

Charges 1946		$2,051 89
Payments to treasurer	$1,499 33	
Outstanding December 31, 1946	552 56	
		$2,051 89

BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Accounts Receivable

Outstanding January 1, 1946	$134 33	
Charges	18,247 00	
		$18,381 33
Payments to treasurer 1946		$18,381 33

VETERANS' BENEFITS

Accounts Receivable

Outstanding January 1, 1946	$462 50	
Charges	565 00	
		$1,027 50
Payments to treasurer	$462 50	
Outstanding December 31, 1946	565 00	
		$1,027 50

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Accounts Receivable

Charges 1946		$10,711 15
Payments to treasurer	$6,812 94	
Abatements	115 50	
Outstanding December 31, 1946	3,782 71	
		$10,711 15

Miscellaneous Receipts

Cash balance January 1, 1946		$13 51	
Receipts:			
Rentals	$21 00		
Manual training	320 78		
Telephone tolls	19 80		
Miscellaneous	12 27		
		373 85	
			$387 36
Payments to treasurer		$376 69	
Cash balance December 31, 1946		10 67	
			$387 36

LIBRARY

Cash balance January 1, 1946	$54 84	
Receipts	533 35	
		$588 19
Payments to treasurer	$532 58	
Cash balance December 31, 1946	55 61	
		$588 19
Cash balance January 1, 1947	$55 61	
Receipts January 1 to 21, 1947	25 21	
		80 82
Payments to treasurer January 1 to 21, 1947	$50 61	
Cash on hand January 21, 1947, verified	30 21	
		80 82

WATER RATES

Outstanding January 1, 1946	$553 63	
Commitment per warrants	54,402 56	
Overpayment to collector to be refunded	7 88	
		$54,964 07
Payments to treasurer	$54,622 37	
Abatements	31 74	
Outstanding December 31, 1946, per list	309 96	
		$54,964 07

WATER CONSTRUCTION

Outstanding January 1, 1946	$76 84	
Commitment per warrants	2,969 00	
		$3,045 84
Payments to treasurer	$2,706 08	
Outstanding December 31, 1946, per list	339 76	
		$3,045 84

CHARLES FALES SCHOLARSHIP FUND

	Cash	Savings Deposits	Securities Book Value	Securities Par Value	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1946	$50 00	$7,402 89	$6,320 00	$84,800 00	$98,572 89
On hand at end of year 1946	$87 50	$7,220 79	$6,320 00	$84,900 00	$98,528 29

1946

Receipts		Payments	
Withdrawn from savings deposits	$182 10	Purchase of securities, par value	$3,100 00
Sale of securities, par value	3,000 00	Commission and shipping charges	7 21
Premium on sale of securities	127 50	Transferred to town	3,386 03
Accrued interest on sale of securities	51 33	Cash on hand at end of year	87 50
Income	3,169 81		
Cash on hand at beginning of year	50 00		
	$6,580 74		$6,580 74

BIRD SCHOLARSHIP FUND

	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1946	$34.73	$34.73
On hand at end of year 1946	$35.03	$35.03

1946

Receipts		Payments	
Income	$.30	Added to savings deposits	$.30

CHARLES SUMNER BIRD LIBRARY FUND

On hand at beginning of year 1946	$13,874.45	$3,000.00	$16,874.45
On hand at end of year 1946	$13,986.59	$3,000.00	$16,986.59

1946

Receipts		Payments	
Income	$262.14	Added to savings deposits	$112.14
		Transferred to town	150.00
	$262.14		$262.14

LUCY J. GOULD LIBRARY FUND

	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1946	$537.42	$537.42
On hand at end of year 1946	$548.21	$548.21

1946

Receipts		Payments	
Income	$10.79	Added to savings deposits	$10.79

MARY W. HYDE LIBRARY FUND

On hand at beginning of year 1946	$656.18	$656.18
On hand at end of year 1946	$669.36	$669.36

1946

Receipts		Payments	
Income	$13.18	Added to savings deposits	$13.18

PUBLIC LIBRARY FUND

	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1946	$2,943.25	$2,943.25
On hand at end of year 1946	$2,972.73	$2,972.73

1946

Receipts		Payments	
Income	$29.48	Added to savings deposits	$29.48

WALPOLE EMERGENCY MEDICAL AID FUND

	Savings Deposits	Securities Book Value	Securities Par Value	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1946	$3,421.08	$12,100.00	$16,000.00	$31,521.08
On hand at end of year 1946	$1,025.24	$4,800.00	$47,200.00	$53,025.24

1946

Receipts		Payments	
Withdrawn from savings deposits	$2,395 84	Securities acquired by bequest, book value	$4,800 00
Sale of securities, book value	12,100 00	Purchase of securities, par value	31,200 00
Gain on securities sold	15,721 05	Transferred to town	317 35
Bequest of securities	4,800 00		
Income	1,300 46		
	$36,317 35		$36,317 35

LEWIS DRINKING FOUNTAIN FUND

	Deposits Savings	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1946	$593 57	$593 57
On hand at end of year 1946	$605 49	$605 49

1946

Receipts		Payments	
Income	$11 92	Added to savings deposits	$11 92

FREDERICK E. CLAPP MEMORIAL FUND

	Savings Deposits	Securities Par Value	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1946	$82 07	$600 00	$682 07
On hand at end of year 1946	$92 37	$600 00	$692 37

1946

Income	$15 80	Added to savings deposits	$10 30
	$15 80	Transferred to town	5 50
			$15 80

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1946	$2,035 74	$2,035 74
On hand at end of year 1946	$2,076 59	$2,076 59

1946

Receipts		Payments	
Income	$40 85	Added to savings deposits	$40 85

MICHAEL J. MEDVASKAS PRIVATE FUND

	Deposits Savings	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1946	$599 44	$599 44
On hand at end of year 1946	$605 42	$605 42

1946

Receipts		Payments	
Income	$5 98	Added to savings deposits	$5 98

POST-WAR REHABILITATION FUND

	Securities Cost Value	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1946	$24,938 00	$24,938 00
On hand at end of year 1946	$24,938 00	$24,938 00

1946

Receipts Payments

No Transactions Recorded

TOWN OF WALPOLE

Balance Sheet — December 31, 1946

General Accounts

Assets

Cash:		
General	$396,690 90	
Petty Advance — Collector	100 00	
		$396,790 90
Accounts Receivable:		
Taxes:		
Levy of 1946:		
Personal	$588 14	
Real Estate	20,462 10	
		$21,050 24
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:		
Levy of 1946		607 37
Special Assessments:		
Unapportioned Sewer	$3,089 10	
Sewer 1946	347 06	
Committed Interest 1946	73 34	
		3,509 50
Tax Titles		3,884 99
Tax Possessions		4,349 21
Departmental:		
Telephone Tolls	$111 27	
Sewer Connections	47 26	
Temporary Aid	52 00	
Aid to Dependent Children	552 56	
Veterans' Benefits	565 00	
School	3,782 71	
		5,110 80
Aid to Highways:		
State	$4,507 75	
County	873 75	
		5,381 50
Water:		
Rates	$302 08	
Construction	339 76	
		641 84
Underestimates 1946:		
State Assessments	$1,580 71	
County Tax	518 41	
		2,099 12
		$443,425 47

Liabilities and Reserves

Federal Withholding Taxes		$9,378 23
Due County:		
Retirement Fund Deductions	$811 61	
Proceeds of Dog Licenses	30 60	
		842 21

Tailings—		
Unclaimed Checks		57.21
Sale of Real Estate Fund		1,512.50
Trust Funds Income:		
Charles Sumner Bird Library	$150.03	
Public Library	5.72	
Lewis Drinking Fountain	1.95	
Cemetery Perpetual Care	8.74	
		166.44
Sewer Connection Deposits		60.00
Premium and Accrued Interest on Sewer Loans		39.40
Sewer Assessment Fund		12,668.12
Water Available Surplus		58,825.84
Federal Grants:		
Aid to Dependent Children:		
Administration	$585.99	
Aid	593.97	
Old Age Assistance:		
Assistance	403.22	
Administration	3,088.52	
Smith-Hughes Fund	22.52	
		4,694.22
Unexpended Appropriation Balances		54,915.59
Reserve Fund - Overlay Surplus		26,801.90
Overlay Reserved for Abatement of Taxes:		
Levy of 1946		5,686.43
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	$607.37	
Special Assessment	3,509.50	
Tax Title	3,884.99	
Tax Possession	4,349.21	
Departmental	5,110.80	
Aid to Highways	5,381.50	
Water	641.84	
		23,485.21
Surplus Revenue		244,292.17
		$443,425.47

DEFERRED ACCOUNTS

Apportioned Sewer Assessments Not Due	$5,426.73	Apportioned Sewer Assessment Revenue:		
		Due in 1947	$1,645.19	
		" " 1948	1,475.68	
		" " 1949	962.34	
		" " 1950	493.76	
		" " 1951	204.64	
		" " 1952	25.49	
		" " 1953	25.49	
		" " 1954	25.47	
				$4,858.06
		Suspended		568.67
	$5,426.73			$5,426.73

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt.	$104,100.00	Sewer Loan 1931	$75,000.00
		Sewer Loans 1946	13,100.00
		Bridge and Street Loans 1938	6,000.00
		Water Loan 1918	10,000.00
	$104,100.00		$104,100.00

TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

Trust and Investment Funds: Cash and Securities	$201,683.32	Charles Fales Scholarship Fund	$98,528.29
		Bird Scholarship Fund	35.03
		Charles Sumner Bird Library Fund	16,986.59
		Lucy J. Gould Library Fund	548.21
		Mary W. Hyde Library Fund	669.36
		Public Library Fund	2,972.73
		Walpole Emergency Medical Aid Fund	53,025.24
		Lewis Drinking Fountain Fund	605.49
		Frederick E. Clapp Memorial Fund	692.37
		Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	2,076.59
		Michael J. Medvaskas Private Fund	605.42
		Post-War Rehabilitation Fund	24,938.00
	$201,683.32		$201,683.32

ABSTRACTS OF RECORDS OF TOWN MEETING . . .

TOWN OF WALPOLE
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

JANUARY 21, 1946

Monday, January 21, 1946 with Adjourned Meetings on Monday, February 11, 1946 Monday, February 18, 1946.

The Warrant was issued by the Selectmen under the date of December 6, 1945 and was signed by Willis D. McLean, Royal A. Jones, Albert W. Smith, Clinton F. Shufelt and Arthur L. Smith.

The Warrant called for the election by ballot five Selectmen, one Town Treasurer, one Collector of Taxes, one Moderator, all for a term of one year; one member of the Town Planning Board for five years; one Assessor of Taxes for three years; two Trustees of the Public Library for three years; two members of the School Committee for three years; one Commissioner of Trust Funds for three years; and also to vote on the following question:

Shall the Town vote to accept the provisions of Section Six C of Chapter Forty of the General Laws, which authorizes cities and towns to appropriate money for the removal of snow and ice from private ways therein open to public use?

YES	
NO	

The proper service of the Warrant was attested by Levi S. Thompson, Constable of Walpole. All the requirements of the Statutes and Town by-laws relating to Elections were complied with.

Norfolk, ss:

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, at a legal meeting the inhabitants of Precinct 1 of the Town of Walpole, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, met in the Blackburn Memorial Building, in said Walpole on Monday, the Twenty-First day of January 1946 at 8:00 o'clock in the forenoon, and the inhabitants of Precinct 2, of said Town of Walpole, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, met in the East Walpole Fire Station in East Walpole, and the inhabitants of Precinct 3, of said Town of Walpole, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, met in the Community House, in South Walpole, in said Town, on the same date and at the same hour to bring in their votes for the officers and question as called for in said warrant.

The meeting in Precinct 1 was called to order by Chester B. Gove, Warden of said Precinct, duly qualified for office, who acted as Presiding Officer. He was assisted by the following election

officers, all duly qualified for office; George H. Ryan, Frank N. Spear, Hawkesworth M. Watson, Peter Becker, George Hubbard, Walter Rockwood, Jeremiah T. Delaney, Walter Angus, Frank F. Kivlin, George Corbett and Chester Keenan.

The meeting in Precinct 2 was called to order by William F. Geary, Warden of said Precinct, duly qualified for office, who acted as Presiding Officer. He was assisted by the following election officers: Fred J. Kinsman, George Murray, Albert Eckert, Joseph Burke, Arthur Platt, F. Howard White, Richard Sprague, all duly qualified for office.

The meeting in Precinct 3 was called to order by Ellis Bacon, Warden, of said Precinct, duly qualified for office, who acted as Presiding officer. He was assisted by the following election officers, all duly qualified for office: Richard J. Quinn, Ralph Boyden and Felix W. Fish.

After the close of the Polls at 8 P. M., when all votes had been canvassed and the results determined in accordance with the provisions of the law, declaration thereof was made in open Town Meeting in the Town Clerk's Office and was as follows:

The total number of votes cast in Precinct 1 was	991
The total number of votes cast in Precinct 2 was	344
The total number of votes cast in Precinct 3 was	103
The total number of votes cast in the three Precincts was	1438

The result of the vote was as follows:

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Total
Selectmen (for 1 year) 5 to be elected:				
Wilbur C. Bassey	228	62	31	321
James Henry Daggett	387	84	20	491
Royal A. Jones	681	216	77	974
Willis D. McLean	651	263	74	988
Clinton F. Shufelt	585	218	84	887
Albert W. Smith	552	273	64	889
Arthur L. Smith	417	161	51	629
John Henry White	456	153	43	652
Blanks	998	290	71	1359
Town Treasurer (for 1 year) 1 to be elected:				
Herbert W. Lewis	836	292	91	1219
Blanks	155	52	12	219
Collector of Taxes (for 1 year) 1 to be elected:				
James H. Ginley	857	308	90	1255
Blanks	134	36	13	183
Moderator (for 1 year) 1 to be elected:				
Henry W. Caldwell	811	262	80	1162
Blanks	180	82	14	276

Assessor of Taxes (for 3 three years) 1 to be elected:				
John F. Flynn	310	106	34	450
Fred J. Tetreault	643	207	63	913
Blanks	38	31	6	75
School Committee (for 3 years) 2 to be elected:				
Ernest H. Coleman	426	230	57	713
Elmer Forslind	479	98	52	609
Edward B. Holmes	635	220	69	924
Blanks	442	140	48	630
Commissioner of Trust Funds (for 3 years) 1 to be elected:				
James A. Valentine	805	267	87	1159
Blanks	186	77	16	279
Town Planning Board (for 5 years) 1 to be elected:				
John J. Fitzhenry	786	268	84	1138
Blanks	205	76	19	300
Trustees of Public Library (for 3 years) 2 to be elected:				
Eleanor MacLean Harding	725	257	80	1062
Caroline P. Roundy	738	246	79	1063
Blanks	519	185	47	751

QUESTION: Shall the Town vote to accept the provisions of Section Six C of Chapter Forty of the General Laws, which authorizes cities and towns to appropriate money for the removal of snow and ice from private ways therein open to public use?

Yes	666	227	70	963
No	100	29	17	146
Blanks	225	88	16	329

(Voted in the Affirmative)

Royal A. Jones, Willis D. McLean, Clinton F. Shufelt, Albert W. Smith and John Henry White were declared elected Selectmen for a term of one year and were sworn into office by Katherine J. Higgins, Town Clerk.

Herbert W. Lewis was declared elected Town Treasurer for a term of one year and was sworn into office by Katherine J. Higgins, Town Clerk.

James H. Ginley was declared Collector of Taxes for a term of one year and was sworn into office by Katherine J. Higgins, Town Clerk.

Henry W. Caldwell was declared Moderator for a term of one year and was sworn into office by Katherine J. Higgins, Town Clerk.

Fred J. Tetreault was declared elected an Assessor of Taxes for three years and was sworn into office by Katherine J. Higgins, Town Clerk.

Ernest H. Coleman and Edward B. Holmes were declared elected members of the School Committee for three years and both were sworn into office by Katherine J. Higgins, Town Clerk.

James A. Valentine was declared elected a Commissioner of Trust Funds for three years and was sworn into office by Katherine J. Higgins, Town Clerk.

John J. Fitzhenry was declared elected a member of the Town Planning Board for five years and was sworn into office by Katherine J. Higgins, Town Clerk.

Eleanor MacLean Harding and Caroline P. Roundy were declared elected members of Trustees of Public Library for three years. Caroline P. Roundy was sworn into office by Katherine J. Higgins, Town Clerk. Eleanor MacLean Harding qualified for office before Katherine J. Higgins, Town Clerk.

In accordance with the foregoing warrant, the meeting was adjourned to Monday, February 11, 1946 at 7:30 P. M. in the High School Auditorium, Walpole, Mass.

A true copy. Attest:

KATHERINE J. HIGGINS,
Town Clerk of Walpole

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
TOWN OF WALPOLE
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
FEBRUARY 11, 1946

Norfolk, ss:

In accordance with the foregoing warrant, the adjournment of the Annual Town Meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Walpole, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, was held in the Auditorium of the High School Building in said Walpole on Monday, the Eleventh day of February, 1946 at 7:30 P. M.

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 P. M. by Henry W. Caldwell, Moderator.

The Moderator appointed Howard Hanna and Timothy E. Delaney counters for this meeting and both were sworn into office by the Moderator.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: to waive the reading of the warrant.

On motion made and seconded, the meeting stood in silence for one minute in reverence to our departed soldiers and sailors.

Article 1. To elect all Town Officers not elected by ballot.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: That Arthur E. Cobb, David G. Fisher, Ellis Bacon, Walter F. Meyer and Edward F. Jones be elected as Surveyors of Lumber and Measurers of Wood and Bark.

On motion made by Mr. Sherrerd, Chairman of the Appropriation Committee, and seconded, it was

Voted: that if the business to be brought before this meeting is not concluded at 10:30 P. M. February 11, 1946, this meeting be adjourned until 7:30 P. M. Monday evening February 18, 1946, all in accordance with the Charter of the Town of Walpole.

Article 2. To hear and act on the report of any Committee, or to choose any Committee the Town may think proper and transact any other business that may legally come before the Town.

Article 2.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the recommendations of the Appropriation Committee as set forth in their 1946 report be considered as motions except in those cases where no appropriation is recommended.

Under this article Mr. Leonard Downs, member of the Committee to bring in plans for developing Memorial Park, made a report of progress and it was

Voted: to accept the report of Mr. Downs.

Mr. Herbert Robinson, member of the Committee appointed by the Selectmen to revise the Town's Building Laws, presented the report of the Committee:

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Report of the Committee appointed by the Selectmen to revise the Town's Building Laws be referred to the Selectmen and that the Selectmen be directed to take such action pertaining thereto as they deem proper.

Article 3. To see if the Town will authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1946, and to issue a note of notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws, (Ter. Ed.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town shall and hereby does authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1946, to an amount not exceeding in the aggregate of Four Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($450,000.00) and to issue any note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws, (Ter. Ed.) any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1946.

Affirmative	271
Negative	None

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to petition the Director of Accounts, Department of Corporations and Taxation, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, for an audit of the Town's Accounts, in accordance with Section 35, Chapter 44, of the General Laws, Ter. Ed.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town shall and hereby does petition the Director of Accounts, Department of Corporations and Taxation, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, for an audit of the Town's Accounts, in accordance with the provisions of Section 35, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Collector, in collecting taxes to use all means which the Treasurer may use when appointed Collector.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town shall and hereby does authorize the Collector, in collecting taxes to use all means which the Treasurer may use when appointed Collector.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Collector, in collecting water rates and service bills to follow the rules and regulations of the Water Department.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town shall and hereby does authorize the Collector, in collecing water rates and service bills, to follow the rules and regulations of the Water Department.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Collector, in collecting sewer assessments to follow the rules and regulations of the Sewer Department.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town shall and hereby does instruct the Collector in collecting sewer assessments to follow the rules and regulations of the Sewer Department.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell any and all property now owned by the Town, or to be acquired, as a result of foreclosing rights of redemption in said property, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town shall and hereby does authorize the Selectmen to sell any and all property now owned by the Town, or to be acquired, as a result of foreclosing rights of redemption in said property.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to provide for compensation under the Workmen's Compensation Act for its laborers, workmen and mechanics, including all employees of the Town regardless of the nature of their duties, receiving injuries out of and in the course of their employment or

in case of death resulting from such injury, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $2,348.61 to provide compensation under the Workmen's Compensation Act for its laborers, workmen and mechanics, including all employees of the Town regardless of the nature of their duties, receiving injuries arising out of and in the course of their employment or in case of death resulting from such injuries.

Article 10. To see what compensation the Town will allow its Selectmen, Assessors of Taxes, Town Treasurer and Collector of Taxes, for their services for the ensuing year, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the compensation for the Town's Selectmen, Assessors of Taxes, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes shall be such as are designated and included in the recommendations under Article 11.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer such sums of money as may be necessary to defray the regular departmental expenses of the Town for the ensuing year, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate or transfer the following designated amounts to defray the regular departmental expenses of the Town for the ensuing year.

General Government

Appropriation Committee, Expenses		$450.00
Planning Board		
Salary of Clerk	$100.00	
Expenses	40.00	
		$140.00
Commissioners of Trust Funds		
Expenses		$30.00
Selectmen (Article 10)		
Salaries:		
Chairman	$300.00	
Clerk	275.00	
Three Others	750.00	
	1,325.00	
Expenses	646.00	
		$1,971.00

Law (Selectmen)		
Town Counsel (Salary)	$1,980.00	
For services in accordance with Section 7 of the Charter and Article 4 Sectional of the By-Laws.		
Expenses	100.00	
		$2,080.00
Accountant (Selectmen)		
Salary	$2,600.00	
Clerk	876.00	
	$3,476.00	
Expenses	256.00	
		$3,732.00
Town Clerk (Selectmen)		
Salaries:		
Town Clerk (Salary)	$560.00	
Clerk	444.00	
	$1,004.00	
The foregoing budget is approved by the Appropriation Committee providing, however, that all fees received by the Clerk and Assistant Clerk by virtue of their respective offices shall be paid by them into the Town Treasury and shall report the amount thereof to the Selectmen from time to time as they shall require, G. L. Chapter 40, Dec. 13.		
Expenses	186.35	
		$1,190.35
Town Treasurer		
Salaries:		
Town Treasurer (Article 10)	$2,860.00	
Clerk	780.00	
	$3,640.00	
Expenses	918.00	
Treasurer-Tax Titles Expenses	250.00	
		$4,808.00
Collector of Taxes and Water Bills		
Salaries:		
Collector's Salary (Article 10)	$2,560.00	
Clerk's Salary	1,394.00	
	$3,954.40	

For services collecting taxes and water bills due the Town; and all legal fees allowed in the collection of taxes and water bills shall not be included as part of salary but shall be paid to the Town Treasurer to be credited to Revenue and Water Department accounts of the Town.		
Expenses	1,377.25	
	$5,331.65	
Less—Transfer from Water Department	530.00	
		$5,001.65
Assessors		
Salaries:		
Chairman (Article 10)	$1,680.00	
Two Others (Article 10	1,584.00	
Clerk	2,210.00	
	$5,474.00	
Expenses	1,281.00	
		$6,755.00
Town Engineer (Selectmen)		
Salaries:		
Town Engineer	$4,560.00	
Secretary (Public Works and Health)	2,380.00	
Secretary (Selectmen and Welfare)	2,380.00	
Clerk	1,924.80	
	$11,244.80	
Expenses	685.00	
	$11,929.80	
Less—Charge to Water Department for Administration	5,000.00	
		$6,929.80
Engineering (Selectmen)		
Salary:		
Assistant Engineer	$2,536.00	
Expenses	100.00	
		$2,636.00
Election and Registration (Selectmen)		
Salaries (Registrars of Voters & Election Officers)	$1,338.00	
Expenses	465.00	
		$1,803.00

Election & Registration (Street Lists—Chap. 440, Acts 1938)		
Wages (Canvassers)	$700.00	
Expenses	296.00	
		$996.00
Town Hall and Blackburn Memorial Bldg. (Selectmen)		
Janitor's Salary	$1,568.00	
Expenses	1,209.00	
		$2,777.00

It now being 8 P. M., on motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that this meeting be adjourned until after the completion or adjournment of the SPECIAL TOWN MEETING called for 8 P. M.

A true copy. Attest:

KATHERINE J. HIGGINS,
Town Clerk of Walpole

TOWN OF WALPOLE
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
FEBRUARY 11, 1946
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

The Warrant was issued by the Selectmen under date of January 24, 1946 and was signed by Willis D. McLean, Royal A. Jones, Albert W. Smith, Clinton F. Shufelt and John H. White.

The proper service of the Warrant was attested to by Levi S. Thompson, Constable of Walpole. All requirements of the Statutes and Town By-Laws relating to Elections and Town Meetings were complied with.

In accordance with the Warrant issued by the Board of Selectmen under date of January 24, 1946, a Special Town Meeting was held in the Auditorium of the High School Building in said Town of Walpole on Monday, February 11, 1946.

The meeting was called to order at 8 P. M. by Henry W. Caldwell, Moderator.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: to waive the reading of the warrant

Article 1. To hear and act on the report of any Committee or to choose any Committee the Town may think proper and transact any other business that may legally come before the Town.

No action taken under this Article.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to install lateral sewers in Marston Road, Calvert Road and Charlotte Road, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Joseph C. D'Espinosa and others.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $1,000.00 to execute the necessary engineering required before construction.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild Summer Street southwesterly from the residence of Roy Argood to the residence of Col. W. M. Whitman or any portion thereof, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On substitute motion made by Mr. Sherrerd, Chairman of the Appropriation Committee, and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $12,000.00 to rebuild Summer Street from the residence of Roy Argood to the residence of Col. W. M. Whitman, or any portion or portions thereof.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that this meeting be dissolved.

A true copy. Attest:

KATHERINE J. HIGGINS,
Town Clerk of Walpole

ADJOURNMENT—ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
TOWN OF WALPOLE
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
February 11, 1946

Norfolk, ss:

The Adjournment of the Adjourned Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 8:30 P. M. by Henry W. Caldwell, Moderator.

Article 11

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate or transfer the following designated amounts to defray the regular departmental expenses of the Town for the ensuing year.

Protection of Persons and Property

Police Department (Selectmen)		
Salaries:		
Chief	$3,600.00	
Sergeants (2)	5,800.00	
Patrolmen (7)	18,900.00	
New Officers (2)	4,440.00	
Special Officers	780.00	
	$33,520.00	
Motor Service and Maintenance	1,150.00	
Office Supplies and Expenses	1,645.00	
Services	424.00	
Total		$36,739.00

Fire Department (Selectmen)		
Salaries:		
Chief	$3,117.60	
Assistant Chiefs (2)	320.90	
Captains (3)	220.35	
Lieutenants (5)	349.25	
Janitors and Stewards (3)	540.00	
Company Clerks (3)	54.00	
Truck Checkers (2)	109.20	
Firemen (42)	2,992.50	
Firemen's Services estimated at $1.30 per hour	2,000.00	
Total Salaries	9,703.80	
Departmental Expenses	1,072.00	
Maintenance of Equipment	885.00	
New Equipment	114.20	
		$11,775.00
Fire Alarm Expense (Selectmen)		725.00
Forest Fires (Selectmen)		
Salaries:		
Deputy Warden	90.00	
Firemen's Services, Estimated	1,650.00	
	1,740.00	
Expenses:		
Hose	250.00	
Departmental	155.00	
Maintenance of Equipment	366.30	
Radio	100.00	
		$2,611.30
Inspector of Buildings (Selectmen)		
Salary	990.00	
All fees collected by the Inspector of Buildings shall be paid to the Town Treasurer to be credited to Revenue.		
Expenses	360.00	
		$1,350.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures (Selectmen)		
Salary	1,188.00	
Expenses	85.00	
		$1,273.00
Insect Pest Extermination		$2,900.00
Tree Department (Selectmen)		$1,560.00

Health and Sanitation

Salaries:		
Health Officer	$660.00	
Inspector of Animals	264.00	
Inspector of Milk	528.00	
Fees:		
Inspector of Slaughtering	1,000.00	
Inspector of Plumbing	160.00	
	2,612.00	
Expenses	1,510.00	
		$4,122.00

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that we take up the following articles 24, 25, 26, 33 and 70.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to improve Neponset Street from the new construction to the end of the accepted way, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Bird Machine Co.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 to improve Neponset Street from the new construction to the end of the accepted way.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to improve Morse Street from Washington Street easterly, approximately 500 feet, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 to improve Morse Street from Washington Street easterly, approximately 500 feet.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to improve Old Post Road from the end of the tar construction to the residence of Stanley Robinson, Jr., raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Eric Nilson and others.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 to improve Old Post Road from the end of the tar construction to the residence of Stanley Robinson Jr.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to install a lateral sewer in Ellis Street, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Daniel A. Donnelly and others.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 to install a lateral sewer in Ellis Street.

Article 70. To see if the Town will vote to install an 8" sewer lateral in Fuller Avenue, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Sarah McLauchlin and others.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Sale of Town Property the sum of $2,000.00 to install an 8" lateral sewer in Fuller Avenue.

Highways and Bridges

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate the following sums for General Maintenance:

Labor	$33,012.00	
Road Material	6,700.00	
Equipment and Repairs	4,040.00	
Miscellaneous expense	5,672.00	
		$49,424.00
Snow and Ice Removal		10,000.00
Beacon Lights		175.00
Traffic Equipment and Expense		475.00
Bridge and Culvert Repairs		500.00
Sidewalk Repairs		2,000.00
Street Lighting (Selectmen)		15,660.00
Care of Town Dump		1,737.00

Public Welfare

Salaries	$825.00	
Salary—Investigator	198.00	
		1,023.00
Expenses	350.00	
Outside Relief	13,875.00	
		14,225.00

BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Salaries:		
Bureau	462.00	
Investigator	1,199.96	
	1,661.96	
	26,485.00	
Expenses	26,485.00	
		28,146.96
U. S. Grants		
Salaries		396.00
Investigator—Salary		360.00
Expenses		14,075.00
		14,831.00
		42,977.96

Less Estimated Receipts from Federal Government		15,750.00
		27,227.96

Aid To Dependent Children (Selectmen)

Salaries	$231.00	
Investigator	66.00	
	$297.00	
Expenses	5,955.00	
Total Salaries and Expenses	6,252.00	
U. S. Grants		
Salaries	51.84	
Expenses	1,200.00	
	1,251.84	
Less Estimated Receipts from Federal Government	1,100.00	
	151.84	
	6,403.84	
Soldiers' Benefits (Selectmen)		
Soldiers' Relief	$2,000.00	
State Aid	200.00	
Military Aid	2,000.00	
Veterans Rehabilitation Officer Salary	1,820.00	
Expenses	200.00	
		$6,220.00
Repairs to Public Buildings		$31,932.00
Coal and Oil for Public Buildings		$8,775.00
School Department—Salaries	$199,884.00	
And to meet said appropriation of $199,884.00 there be raised in the Tax Levy of 1946 the sum of		$198,421.60
and that $1,462.40 be appropriated from 1945 dog tax receipts and transferred to School Salaries account.		
School Department—Expenses		$41,540.00
Transportation	$17,730.00	
Other Expenses	22,210.00	
Capital Outlay	1,600.00	
	$41,540.00	
Public Library—Salaries		$10,752.00
Expenses		4,019.00

Recreation and Unclassified

Operating Swimming Pool		$608.00
Parks and School Grounds		21,865.00
Town Forest		250.00

Cemeteries and Care of Soldiers' Graves

Town Cemetery		$125.00
Care of Soldiers' Graves		$270.00

Unclassified

Town Clock		$40.00
Town Report (Selectmen)		$1,001.20
Insurance	6,430.24	
Less transfer from Water Department	246.65	
		6,183.59

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: to take up Articles 61 and 62.

Article 61. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a Committee of five members as a Recreation Commission, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made by John Sheehan and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town appoint the following Committee of five members as a Recreation Commission: Charles Holt, James Kirk, Elmer Ashman, Roger Turner and John Sheehan.

Affirmative 252
Negative 71

Article 62. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be expended by the Recreation Commission, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

A motion was presented by Mr. Sherrerd, Chairman of the Appropriation Committee, and seconded, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $750.00 to be expended under the direction of the Recreation for week-end Youth Program activities.

A general discussion followed relative to the Youth Center activities and then Mr. Forsham presented a substitute motion which was seconded, that the sum of $5,940.00 be raised and appropriated for Youth Activities to be expended under the direction of the Recreation Commission, but on being put to a vote it was VOTED IN THE NEGATIVE.

The original motion presented under Article 62 was then taken up and it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $750.00 to be expended under the direction of the Recreation Commission for week-end Youth Program activities.

Article 11.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the following amounts be raised and appropriated:

Honor Roll Board		$100.00
Interest	3,575.00	
Debt	13,000.00	
		16,575.00

And to meet said appropriation of $16,575.00 there be raised in the tax levy of 1946 the sum of 11,012.50
and that the following be transferred from available funds — Water Dept., Receipts (Art. 18) $5,562.50

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the sum of $10,000.00 be appropriated for a Reserve Fund and to meet said appropriation the sum of $10,000.00 be transferred from the Overlay Reserve Fund.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: to consider Article 66.

Affirmative 352
Negative 23

Article 66. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning by-laws by changing from Residential to Business District the following described property containing 33.84 acres owned by R. N. MacCallum and located on Route 1 and Moose Hill Road in Walpole bounded as follows: Northerly by land of Home Building Co., Inc., 789.10 feet; Easterly by Moose Hill Street 310.18 feet; Easterly by Boston-Providence Turnpike 1257.64 feet; Southeasterly by land of Adolf Tikofski 1262.36 feet; Westerly by Old Post Road about 2460 feet, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Edwin L. Hixson and others.)

A motion was made and seconded, "that the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws by changing from Residential to Business District the following described property containing 33.84 acres owned by R. N. MacCallum and located on Route 1 and Moose Hill Road in Walpole bounded as follows: Northerly by land of Home Building Co., Inc., 789.10 feet; Easterly by Moose Hill Street 310.18 feet; Easterly by Boston-Providence Turnpike 1257.64 feet; Southeasterly by land of Adolf Tikofski 1262.36 feet; Westerly by Old Post Road about 2460 feet."

Mr. Sheehan, Chairman of the Town Planning Board, reported that the Planning Board does not recommend the above change of zone.

A lengthy discussion followed relative to this change of zone but on being put to a vote it was

Voted: Affirmative 70
Negative 296

The Moderator declared that the motion was not carried and that it was NOT A VOTE.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that Articles 64, 65, 67 and 68 be taken up.

Affirmative 151
Negative 147

Article 64. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws by changing from Residential District to Business District the following described premises of Bessie C. H. Morris, land in Walpole situated on Washington and Common Streets, southeasterly by Washington Street one hundred fifty feet; northeasterly by land now or formerly of Bessie C. H. Morris, one hundred feet; northwesterly by other land, now or formerly of Bessie C. H. Morris, two hundred feet; southwesterly by Common Street and the junction of Washington and Common Street, said junction being a curve line measuring 78.54 feet, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Bessie C. H. Morris.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town amend the Zoning By-Laws by changing from Residential District to Business District the following described premises of Bessie C. H. Morris, land in Walpole situated on Washington and Common Streets, southwesterly by Washington Street one hundred fifty feet; northeasterly by land now or formerly of Bessie C. H. Morris, one hundred feet; northwesterly by other land, now or formerly of Bessie C. H. Morris two hundred feet; southwesterly by Common Street and the junction of Washington and Common Street, said junction being a curve line measuring 78.54 feet.

(The Planning Board reported that they recommended this change of zone).

Voted: Affirmative 315
Negative None

The Moderator declared that it was a vote.

Article 65. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws by changing from Residential District to Business the following described premises of Arthur N. and Mary V. Barnes, the land in said Walpole with the buildings thereon bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the junction of Norfolk Street and Allen Street and running along said Allen Street to a stone post, thence turning at an angle and running in a Southeasterly direction to another stone post placed about one hundred six (106) feet northerly from said Norfolk Street, thence turning and running in a Southerly direction one hundred six (106) feet to said Norfolk Street; thence turning and running along said Norfolk Street to the point of beginning, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Arthur N. Barnes.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town amend the Zoning By-Laws by changing from Residential District to Business District the following

described premises of Arthur N. and Mary V. Barnes, the land in said Walpole with the buildings thereon bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the junction of Norfolk Street and Allen Street and running along said Allen Street to a stone post, thence turning at an angle and running in a Southeasterly direction to another stone post placed about one hundred six (106) feet Northerly from said Norfolk Street, thence turning and running in a Southerly direction one hundred six (106) feet to said Norfolk Street; thence turning and running along said Norfolk Street to the point of beginning.

(The Planning Board stated that they recommended this change of Zoning).

Voted: Affirmative 216
Negative None

The Moderator declared that it was a vote.

Article 67: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws by changing from Business District to Residential District the following described premises or any portion thereof, being the premises of Margaret Kelley: The land in said Walpole, in the Central part thereof, with the buildings thereon, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at an iron pipe set on the easterly side of Common Street at a point ninety-one and 9/10 (91.9) feet from the northerly line of School Street (measured northerly along said Common Street); thence running N 16° 4' W, along said Common Street twenty-six and 9/10 (26.9) feet; thence N 14° 27½' W, along the same, seventy-three and one-tenth (73.1) feet to an iron pipe at the southerly corner of land belonging to Ada M. Fuller; thence running N 75° E, along said Fuller land, two hundred five and 9/10 (205.9) feet to a stone bound at land of Mary V. Briggs; thence running S 13° 22' E, along said Briggs' land, twenty-nine and 2/10 (29.2) feet to corner of land of Erastus E. Boyden; thence same course along said Boyden land seventy and 8/10 (70.8) feet to an iron pipe at land or heirs of Charles H. Hartshorn; thence S 74° 59½ W, along said Hartshorn land two hundred three and 2/10 (203.2) feet to the point of beginning, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Planning Board.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town amend the Zoning By-Laws by changing from Business District to Residential District the following described premises, or any portion thereof, being the premises of Margaret Kelley; The land in said Walpole, in the Central part thereof, with the buildings thereon, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at an iron pipe set on the easterly side of Common Street at a point ninety-one and 9/10 (91.9) feet from the northerly line of School Street (measured northerly along said Common Street); thence running N 16 4" W, along said Common Street twenty-six and 9/10 (26.9) feet; thence running N 14°

27½" W, along the same, seventy-three and one tenth (73.1) feet to an iron pipe at the southerly corner of land belonging to Ada M. Fuller; thence running N 75 E, along said Fuller land, two hundred five and 9/10 (205.9) feet to a stone bound at land of Mary Briggs; thence running S 13 22" E, along said Briggs' land, twenty-nine and 2/10 (29.2) feet to corner of land of Erastus E. Boyden; thence same course along said Boyden land seventy and 8/10 (70.8) feet to an iron pipe at land of heirs of Charles H. Hartshorn; thence S 74 59½' W, along said Hartshorn land two hundred three and 2/10 (203.2) feet to the point of beginning.

(The Planning Board reported that they recommend this change of zoning.)

Voted: Affirmative 197
Negative None

The Moderator declared that it was a vote.

Article 68. To see if the Town will amend the Zoning By-Laws by changing from Business District to Residential District a portion of the property of Mabel S. Mann, No. 1871 Washington Street, South Walpole bounded as follows: Beginning at the dividing line on Washington Street between the property now or formerly of Mary E. Hale and the property of Mabel S. Mann, and running in a northerly direction on said Washington Street, on said Mann's land 100 feet; thence westerly on other land of Mann, 125 feet to corner; thence southerly 100 feet on other land of Mann to land now or formerly of Mary E. Hale, thence easterly 125 feet on said property, now or formerly of Mary E. Hale, to point of beginning, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Planning Board.)

A motion was made and seconded that "The Town amend the Zoning By-Laws from Business District to Residential District a portion of the property of Mabel S. Mann, No. 1871 Washington Street, South Walpole bounded as follows: Beginning at the dividing line on Washington Street between the property now or formerly of Mary E. Hale and the property of Mabel S. Mann, and running in a northerly direction on said Washington Street, on said Mann's land 100 feet; thence westerly on other land of Mann, 125 feet to corner; thence southerly 100 feet on other land of Mann to land now or formerly of Mary E. Hale; thence easterly 125 feet on said property, now or formerly of Mary E. Hale, to point of beginning.

(The Planning Board stated they recommended that this article be indefinitely postponed.)

On being put to a vote it was

Voted: that this article be indefinitely postponed.

A motion was made that we take up Article 37 but it was VOTED IN THE NEGATIVE.

A motion was made that we take up Article 60 but it was VOTED IN THE NEGATIVE.

It being 10:30 P. M. on motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that this meeting be adjourned until Monday Evening, February 18, 1946 at 7:30 P. M. in this Auditorium.

A true copy. Attest:

KATHERINE J. HIGGINS,
Town Clerk of Walpole

TOWN OF WALPOLE
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
February 18, 1946

Norfolk, ss:

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 P. M. by Henry W. Caldwell, Moderator.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay its proportionate share of the Norfolk County Hospital Maintenance for the year 1945 or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $5,164.11 to pay its proportionate share of the Norfolk County Hospital maintenance for the year 1945.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Memorial Day Exercises, including the decoration of graves of all soldiers and sailors of Walpole, said money to be expended under the direction of the Thomas H. Crowley Post No. 104, American Legion, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $450.00 for Memorial Day Exercises, including the decoration of graves of all soldiers and sailors of Walpole, said money to be expended under the direction of the Thomas H. Crowley Post, No. 104 American Legion.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the employment of a District Nurse or other nurses, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $2,400.00 for the employment of a District Nurse or other nurses.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Dental Clinic in the Schools of Walpole, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate the following sums for the Dental Clinic in the Schools of Walpole:

Salaries	$1,520.00
Expenses	140.00
	$1,660.00

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the employment of a Dental Hygienist, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate the following sum for the employment of a Dental Hygienist:

Salary	$2,160.00

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Health Department to collect and dispose of garbage from the inhabitants of the Town, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town instruct the Health Department to collect and dispose of garbage from the inhabitants of the Town and that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $3,800.00 therefor.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from the receipts of the Water Department to the Water Department for maintenance, construction and retirement of any and all bonds, notes and interest payable in 1946, a sum of money sufficient therefor, in accordance with Chapter 396 of the Acts of 1928, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate for the Water Department General Expenses, and Interest and Debt, a sum not to exceed $46,724.15 and take same from Revenue of Water Department and/or Water Department Available Surplus, in accordance with Chapter 396 of the Acts of 1928, divided as follows:

Administration	$5,000.00
Maintenance	
Labor and Salary	12,340.00
Expenses	23,245.00
Interest and Debt	5,562.50
Insurance	246.65
Salary of Tax Collector and Clerk	330.00
	$46,724.15

Article 19. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to make a minimum charge of $1.00 for water for Francis William Park, a public park in East Walpole, during the year 1945, raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay the difference between

said minimum charge of $1.00 and the bill rendered by the Water Department for the year 1945 to Francis William Park, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town instruct the Selectmen to make a minimum charge of $1.00 for the water at Francis William Park, East Walpole, during the year 1945 and raise and appropriate the sum of $900.42 to pay the difference between said minimum charge of $1.00 and bill rendered by the Water Department for the year 1945 to the Francis William Park.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated funds available in the Treasury, a sum of money for the maintenance of Chapter 90 roads in Walpole said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County or both, for this purpose, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the sum of $1,000.00 be raised and appropriated to meet the town's share of the cost of Chapter 90 Highways Maintenance, and that, in addition, the sum of $2,000.00 be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the treasury to meet the State and County's shares of the cost of the work, the reimbursements from the State and County to be restored, upon their receipt, to unappropriated available funds in the treasury.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to improve High Plain Street, from Route 1 to the Walpole-Sharon town line, or any portion thereof, raise and appropriate money therefor, said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County or both for this purpose, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate, by transfer, from the Excess and Deficiency account, the sum of $5,300.00 to improve High Plain Street from Route 1 to the Walpole-Sharon town line.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to improve Washington Street, from High Plain Street to Common Street, or any portion thereof, raise and appropriate money therefor, said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County or both, for this purpose, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

(Improvement of Washington Street from High Plain Street to Common Street.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to improve Plimpton Street from Main Street to the underpass of the New York, New

Haven and Hartford Railroad, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Stephen C. Traudt Jr. and others.)

(Improvement of Plimpton Street, from Main Street to N.Y.-N.H.&H.R.R. Underpass.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to widen Main Street from Stone Street to East Street, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Walpole Business Men's Association.)

(Widening of Main Street from Stone Street to East Street).

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to install a 6" water main in Morse Street from Washington Street easterly, approximately 500 feet, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Water Department available surplus the sum of $1,000.00 to install a 6" water main in Morse Street from Washington Street easterly, approximately 500 feet.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to install a 12" water main in Stone Street Extension, from Washington Street to Massachusetts Avenue, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Water Department available surplus account the sum of $7,000.00 to install a 12" water main in Stone Street Extension, from Washington Street to Massachusetts Avenue.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to install an 8" water main in Neponset Street, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that this article be indefinitely postponed. (8" Water Main in Neponset Street.)

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to install a 6" water main in Kendall Street from East Street northwesterly approximately 470 feet, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Water Department available surplus the sum of $600.00 to install a 6" water main in Kendall Street from East Street northwesterly approximately 470 feet.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate from the receipts of the Sewer Department to the Sewer Department for administrative expenses, maintenance, sewer connection, retirement of any or all its bonds, notes and interest payable in 1946, a sum of money sufficient therefor, in accordance with Chapter 120 of the Acts of 1930, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate to Sewer Department for administrative expense, maintenance and sewer connection the sum of $2,500.00 and take same from the receipts of the Sewer Department and/or the Sewer Assessment and Sewer Connection accounts.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to install an 8" lateral sewer in School Street, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Frank M. Hill Machine Co.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $6,000.00 to install an 8" lateral sewer in School Street.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to build a sidewalk on Washington Street from the Boyden School to Pine Street, in South Walpole, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Mrs. Putnam Cole and others.)

(Sidewalk on Washington Street, from Boyden School Street to Pine Street.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to build a cement sidewalk on the northwesterly side of Charles Street commencing at the Common Street intersection and continuing to the end of the street, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Mrs. R. M. Dawson and others.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $900.00 to build a cement sidewalk on the northwesterly side of Charles Street commencing at the Common Street intersection and continuing to the end of the Street.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to construct a swimming pool and bath houses, in the northwest corner of the Boyden School lot, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of South Walpole Improvement Association.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency account the sum of $11,500.00 to construct a swimming pool and bath houses in the northwest corner of the Boyden School lot. Said pool and bath houses to be constructed in accordance with the plans of the Walpole Center Pool and with the understanding that no architects fees are to be paid and said swimming pool and bathhouses to be constructed under the supervision of the following Building Committee for the South Walpole Swimming Pool:

George Milliken	50 Summer Street	South Walpole
Aaron Hill	808 East Street	Walpole
Kenneth Small	1890 Washington Street	South Walpole
Harry Kerr	Washington Street	South Walpole
Edwin Readel	Washington Street	South Walpole

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to purchase two motorized sidewalk plows, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate, by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency account, the sum of $4,700.00 to purchase two motorized sidewalk plows.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a Gas Roller, with permission to trade present steam roller in exchange, raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency account the sum of $6,500.00 to purchase a gas roller.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to purchase two 5-ton dump trucks, with permission to trade one 1937 White Truck and one 1940 Auto Car in exchange, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency account the sum of $19,000.00 to purchase two 5-ton dump trucks with permission to trade one 1940 Auto-Car in exchange.

Article 41. To see if the Town will vote to purchase two 1½ ton dump trucks, with permission to trade one 1937 Chevrolet truck and one 1941 Chevrolet truck in exchange, raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate, by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency account, the sum of $3,200.00 to pur-

chase two 1½ ton dump trucks with permission to trade one 1937 Chevrolet truck and one 1941 Chevrolet truck.

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to purchase two ½ ton pick-up trucks, with permission to trade one 1939 Chevrolet truck and one 1941 Chevrolet truck in exchange, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

(Purchase of two ½ ton pick-up trucks.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $529.08 for Land Damages, on East Street, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $529.08 for Land Damages on East Street.

Article 44. To see if the Town will vote to install a catch basin on the northwesterly side of Charles Street, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto (Petition of Mrs. R. M. Dawson and others.)

(Catch Basin on Charles Street.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 45. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for Band Concerts during 1946, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Fred L. Barnes and others.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for Band Concerts during 1946.

Article 46. To see if the Town will vote to accept a report of the Board of Selectmen, acting as the Board of Survey and accept Riverside Place from Common Street to the Neponset River, as shown on a plan entitled "Riverside Place, Walpole, Mass. November 1945, F. F. Libby, Town Engineer," or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town accept a report of the Board of Selectmen, acting as the Board of Survey, and accept Riverside Place from Common Street to the Neponset River as shown on a plan entitled "Riverside Place, Walpole, Mass., November, 1945, F. F. Libby, Town Engineer."

Article 47. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 723 of the Acts of 1945 which authorizes the establishment under State supervision of a department for the purpose of furnishing such information, advise and assistance to veterans of World War II or other veterans as may be necessary

to enable them to procure the various benefits to which they are or may be entitled, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town accept the provisions of Chapter 723 of the Acts of 1945 which authorizes the establishment, under State supervision, of a department for the purpose of furnishing such information, advice and assistance to veterans of World War II or other veterans as may be necessary to enable them to procure the various benefits to which they are or may be entitled.

Article 48. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a Committee of five members to study the question of replacing the Stone School and to bring in a report not later than the next annual town meeting, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of School Committee.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the following Committee be appointed to study the question of replacing the Stone School and to bring in a report not later than the next Annual Town Meeting, the Committee to consist of the following: Willis D. McLean, George Sherrerd, Jr., James Buffington, Jr., William O. Forssell, Elmer E. Forsilind.

Article 49. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1000.00 to cover the expenses of the Committee appointed to consider the question of replacing the Stone School, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of School Committee.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 to cover the expenses of the committee appointed to consider the question of replacing the Stone School.

Article 50. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a Committee of five members to study the question of replacing the Central Fire Station and to bring in a report not later than the next annual town meeting, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Moderator appoint a Committee of five members to study the question of replacing the Central Fire Station and to bring in a report not later than the next annual town meeting.

Article 51. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1000.00 to cover the expenses of the Committee appointed to consider the question of a new Central Fire Station, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

A motion was made and seconded, "that the Town raise and

appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency account, the sum of $500.00 to cover the expenses of the committee appointed to consider the question of replacing the Central Fire Station" but on being put to a vote, it was VOTED IN THE NEGATIVE.

Article 52. To see if the Town will vote to purchase Surplus Federal property loaned to the Town for Civilian Defense purposes, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate, by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency account, the sum of $590.45 to purchase Surplus Federal property loaned to the Town for civilian Defense purposes.

Article 53. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay its proportionate share of the Contributory Retirement System for the year 1946, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate, by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency account, the sum of $1,513.88 to pay its proportionate share of the Contributory Retirement System.

Article 54. To see if the Town will vote to retain a qualified professional organization to make a survey evaluating the pay structure and duties of all municipal employees, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of the Appropriation Committee.)

A motion was made by the Chairman of the Appropriation Committee, "That the Town raise and appropriate, by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account, the sum of $1,200.00 to retain a qualified professional organization to make a survey evaluating the pay structure and duties of all municipal employees except school teachers."

A substitute motion was made by Mr. McLean and seconded, "That the Moderator appoint a Committee of three (3) to make a survey evaluating the pay structure and duties of all municipal employees, except school teachers, and that the sum of $100.00 be appropriated by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account to cover the expenses of said Committee.

The substitute motion was put to a vote but it was VOTED IN THE NEGATIVE.

Action was then taken on the original motion as presented by the Chairman of the Appropriation Committee and it was,

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate, by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account, the sum of $1,200.00 to retain a qualified professional organization to make a survey evaluating

the pay structure and duties of all municipal employees except school teachers.

Article 55. To see if the Town will vote to develop Memorial Park, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate, by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency account, the sum of $2,000.00 to be expended for the preparation of complete plans and specifications for the development of Memorial Park.

Article 56. To see if the Town will vote to sponsor a Welcome-Home Day Celebration for Veterans of World War II, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

A motion was made and seconded, "That the Town sponsor a Welcome-Home Day celebration for Veterans of World War II, and that the sum of Five Thousand Dollars be transferred from the excess and deficiency account to the reserve account, to be expended through the Selectmen."

A general discussion followed on this article but on being put to a vote it was VOTED IN THE NEGATIVE.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that Article 56 be indefinitely postponed.

Article 57. To see what action the Town will take relative to the sale of property now owned by the Town as Result of foreclosing rights of redemption in said property, to veterans, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town shall and hereby does authorize its Selectmen to sell any and all property now owned by the Town as a result of foreclosing rights of redemption in said property, to veterans at $1.00 per lot, with such restrictions as the Selectmen deem proper.

Article 58. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the following amounts from the following accounts to the Excess and Deficiency Account:

Purchasing of School Buses (Transportation)	$23,000.00
Housing, Maintenance and Operation of Town-Owned Buses (Transportation)	12,500.00
Land Court, Survey (Asbury Park)	125.00
Drainage, Glenwood Ave. (1926)	300.00
Total	$35,925.00

or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town transfer the following amounts from the following accounts to the Excess and Deficiency Account:

Purchasing of School Buses (Transportation)	$23,000.00
Housing, Maintenance and Operation of Town-Owned Buses (Transportation)	12,500.00
Land Court, Survey (Asbury Park)	125.00
Drainage, Glenwood Ave. (1926)	300.00
	$35,925.00

Article 59. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the following amounts from the following accounts to the Water Available Surplus Account:

Installation—Water Main—North Street	$59.73
Installation—Water Main—Spear Avenue	.78
	60.51

or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town transfer the following amounts from the following accounts to the Water Available Surplus Account:

Installation—Water Main—North Street	$59.73
Installation—Water Main—Spear Avenue	.78
Total	60.51

Article 60. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a Forest Fire Tank Truck equipped with a snow plow, with permission to dispose of a 1929 Forest Fire Truck, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

(Purchase of Forest Fire Truck with Snow Plow).

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 63. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to execute a one year lease with Clinton F. Shufelt for the use of a lot of land on Washington Street, for a public dump at $1.00 per year, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $1.00 to execute a one-year lease with Clinton F. Shufelt for use of a lot of land on Washington Street for a public dump.

Article 69. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to petition the Legislature for permission to set aside a certain parcel of land in Memorial Park for the purpose of erecting quarters for the Thomas H. Crowley Post, No. 104 American Legion, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Thomas H. Crowley Post No. 104 American Legion.)

A motion was made and seconded, "That the Selectmen petition the Legislature for permission to set aside a certain parcel of land in Memorial Park for the purpose of erecting quarters for the

Thomas H. Crowley Post No. 104 American Legion. Said parcel is bounded and described as follows:

Starting at a point on East Street approximately 50 feet from West side of driveway adjacent to Peatfield property, thence along East Street, (S 81° 41' E) to a point 200 feet from start, thence approximately 74 feet to brook (S 9° 19' W), thence following course of brook to a point and thence North approximately 138 feet (N 9° 19' W) to point of beginning," but on being put to a vote it was VOTED IN THE NEGATIVE as follows:

Affirmative	27
Negative	156

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: to take up Article 9.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Board of Public Welfare be and hereby is authorized to charge to U. S. Grants, Bureau of Old Age Assistance Administration the following amounts:

As part salary for the Board of Public Welfare	$396.00
a/c Salary of Investigator	360.00
	$756.00

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Board of Public Welfare be and hereby is authorized to charge to U. S. Grants Aid of Dependent Children Administration Account the following amount:

As part salary for the Investigator Board of Public Welfare	$51.84

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted at 10:30: THAT THIS MEETING BE DISSOLVED.

A true copy. Attest:

KATHERINE J. HIGGINS,
Town Clerk of Walpole

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
TOWN OF WALPOLE
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
June 3, 1946

The Warrant was issued by the Selectmen under date of May 9, 1946 and was signed by Willis D. McLean, Royal A. Jones, Albert W. Smith, Clinton F. Shufelt and John H. White

The proper service of the Warrant was attested to by Levi S. Thompson, Constable of Walpole. All requirements of the Statutes and Town By-Laws relating to Elections and Town Meetings were complied with.

In accordance with a warrant issued by the Board of Selectmen under date of May 9, 1946, a Special Town Meeting was held in the Auditorium of the High School Building in said Town of Walpole on Monday, June 3, 1946 at 8 P. M.

The meeting was called to order at 8 P. M. by Henry W. Caldwell, Moderator, a quorum being present.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: to waive the reading of the warrant.

The Moderator appointed Chester Gove and Roy Springer Tellers for this meeting and they were both sworn into office by the Moderator.

Article 1.

Mr. Harold S. Austin, Vice Chairman of the Appropriation Committee, explained that he would substitute for Mr. George Sherrerd, Jr., Chairman, at this meeting as Mr. Sherrerd could not be present at the meeting.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the recommendations of the Appropriation Committee as set forth in their report be considered as motions except in those cases where no appropriation is recommended.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Building Laws of the Town of Walpole as submitted to the 1946 Annual Town Meeting shall be amended as follows:

Article III. Section 1 (A) Strike out last sentence of first paragraph.

Article XI. Section 6 Strike out word "constructed" and insert word "poured" in place thereof.

Article XII. Section 7 (C) Strike out that part of the table relating to 2 and 4 Story Buildings and replace with the following:

2 Story Building 12" 12" 12"
4 Story Building 16" 16" 12" 12" 12"

Artcle XVI. Section 2. Strike out second last paragraph concerning wire lath and plaster in cellar and insert in place thereof the following:

"In all buildings of second class construction and in all dwellings in the fire districts, the cellar ceilings shall be wire lathed and plastered including all entrances; in dwellings outside the fire districts, the cellar ceilings shall be wire lathed and plastered over the heating equipment for a distance of five feet in front and three feet on each side and the rear of such heating apparatus. Any other fire resistive material having a fire resistance rating of at least one hour may be used in lieu of wire lath and plaster."

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: to take up Article 18.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to substitute the Building Laws, as submitted by the Building Law Committee to the Adjourned Annual Town Meeting held on February 11, 1946, and amended by this meeting, for the present Building Laws, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town accept the revised Building Laws as submitted by the Building Law Committee to the Adjourned Annual Town Meeting held on February 11, 1946 and amended by this meeting, under Article 1, as follows:

Article III. Section 1 (A) Strike out last sentence of first paragraph.

Article XI. Section 6. Strike out word "constructed" and insert word "poured" in place thereof.

Article XII. Section 7. (C) Strike out that part of the table relating to 2 and 4 Story Buildings and replace with the following:

2 Story Building	12"	12"	12"		
4 Story Building	16"	16"	12"	12"	12"

Article XVI. Section 2. Strike out second last paragraph concerning wire lath and plaster in cellar and insert in place thereof the following:

"In all buildings of second class construction and in all dwellings in the fire districts, the cellar ceilings shall be wire lathed and plastered including all entrances; in dwellings outside the fire districts, the cellar ceilings shall be wire lathed and plastered over the heating equipment for a distance of five feet in front and three feet on each side and the rear of such heating apparatus. Any other fire resistive material having a fire resistance rating of at least one hour may be used in lieu of wire lath and plaster."

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: to take up Article 1.

Article 1. To hear and act on the report of any Committee or to choose any Committee the Town may think proper and transact any other business that may legally come before the Town.

A motion was made as follows:

It is moved that the new South Walpole swimming pool be named the Harry A. Whiting swimming pool, in memory of the late town treasurer Harry A. Whiting, and that the swimming pool committee is hereby authorized to take such steps as are necessary to see that the swimming pool is properly marked as such.

This being a petition of Walpole Grange No. 214: W. Roderic Bruce, Committee Chairman, George Shepard, Clifford Barnes, Vincent Leston, James T. Peirce, Committee members.

After a general discussion on the above motion, on motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: To refer the question of naming the South Walpole Swimming Pool to the Selectmen and that they be instructed herewith to insert an article in the next Town Meeting Warrant that the South Walpole Swimming Pool shall be named the Harry A. Whiting Swimming Pool.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate by transfer a sum of money for the Selectmen's Expense Account, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $600.00 to the Selectmen's Expense Account.

Article 3. to see if the Town will vote to install a lateral sewer in School Street, from the Frank M. Hill Machine Company to Kendall Street or any portion thereof. (Petition of William E. Smith and others.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town install a lateral sewer in School Street from the Frank M. Hill Machine Company to Kendall Street.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money for the purpose of installing a lateral sewer in School Street from the Frank M. Hill Machine Company to Kendall Street, issue a note or notes therefor payable within seven years, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow $4,000.00 for the purpose of installing a lateral sewer in School Street from the Frank M. Hill Machine Company to Kendall Street and issue a note or notes therefor payable in seven years.

Affirmative	112
Negative	1

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to install a lateral sewer in Maple Street, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Laura B. Doughty and others.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town install a lateral sewer in Maple Street.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money for the purpose of installing a lateral sewer in Maple Street, issue a note or notes therefor payable within seven years, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow $3,000.00 for the purpose of installing a lateral sewer in Maple Street and issue a note or notes therefor payable in seven years.

Affirmative	96
Negative	None

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild Occident Circle and a portion of Pocahontas Street, raise and appropriate

by transfer money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Warren C. Hilton and others.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town appropriate the sum of $600.00 by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency fund to rebuild Occident Circle, such work to be completed by the Town as expeditiously as possible using Town personnel.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to increase the appropriation voted at the last Annual Town Meeting under Article 29 of the Warrant calling said meeting to install a 12" water main in Stone Street Extension from Washington Street to Massachusetts Avenue, raise and appropriate by transfer money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Water Department surplus the sum of $800.00 to increase the appropriation voted at the last Annual Town Meeting, under Article 29 of the Warrant calling said Meeting, to install a 12" water main in Stone Street Extension.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a snow loader, with permission to trade a Fordson Tractor, raise and appropriate by transfer money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the unexpended balance appropriated under Article 40 of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting Warrant the sum of $1500.00 to purchase a snow loader with permission to trade a Fordson Tractor.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to install traffic lights at the intersection of East and School Streets, raise and appropriate by transfer money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

A motion was made and seconded, "That the Town install traffic lights at the intersection of East and School Streets and raise and appropriate by transfer the sum of $950.00 from the Excess and Deficiency account."

A discussion followed on this motion. Mr. McLean, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, speaking in favor of the installation of these lights; Mr. Austin speaking for the Appropriation Committee did not approve making an appropriation for this purpose and Mr. Thompson, Chief of Police disapproved the installation of these traffic lights.

On being put to a vote it WAS VOTED IN THE NEGATIVE.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to send one police officer to the F.B.I. National Academy in Washington, D. C., raise and appropriate by transfer money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $800.00 to send one police officer to the F.B.I. National Academy in Washington, D. C.

Article 12 To see if the Town will vote to replace the water main in May Street, raise and appropriate by transfer money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Water Department surplus the sum of $250.00 to replace the water main in May Street.

Article 13. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to have an engineering study made of the water system in East Walpole, raise and appropriate by transfer money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Water Department surplus the sum of $2500.00 to have an engineering study made of the water system in East Walpole.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to increase the appropriation voted at the Special Town Meeting held on February 11, 1946 under Article 3 of the Warrant calling said meeting, to rebuild Summer Street from the residence of Roy Argood to the residence of Col. W. M. Whitman, or any portion thereof, raise and appropriate by transfer money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $1500.00 to increase the appropriation voted at the Special Town Meeting, held on February 11, 1946, under Article 3 of the Warrant calling said meeting, to rebuild Summer Street from the residence of Roy Argood to the residence of Col. W. M. Whitman.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate by transfer, a sum of money for Repairs to Buildings, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $3,874.00 for repairs to Public Buildings.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate by transfer the sum of $4,000.00 for the use of the Recreation Commission during the year 1946; said money to be expended by the Recreation Commission, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (The Recreation Commission).

A motion was presented by Mr. John Sheehan, Chairman of the Recreation Commission, and seconded, "That the Town will

vote to raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency the sum of $4,000.00 for the use of the Recreation Commission, during the year 1946, said money to be expended by the Recreation Commission."

A general discussion on this followed but on being put to a vote, IT WAS VOTED IN THE NEGATIVE.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate by transfer a sum of money to the Police Salary Account, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $230.00 to the Police Salary Account.

On motion made by Mr. Kannally, Town Counsel, and seconded, it was

Voted: to take up Article 18 again to obtain a standing vote on the acceptance of the Building Laws as submitted to the Town at this Meeting under Article 18.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town accept the revised Building Laws as submitted by the Building Law Committee to the Adjourned Annual Town Meeting held on February 11, 1946 and amended by this meeting under Article 1.

Affirmative	90
Negative	1

The Moderator declared that the motion is carried.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Committee appointed by the Moderator under Article 50 of the Warrant for the 1946 Annual Town Meeting to secure plans and specifications and cost estimates for replacing the Central Fire Station, raise and appropriate by transfer a sum of money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Committee on Central Fire Station).

A motion was made and seconded, "That the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $750.00 to secure preliminary plans and cost estimates for replacing the Central Fire Station."

A substitute motion was made by Mr. Donnell, Chief of the Fire Department, "That the amount asked for in this motion be changed to read '1500.00' instead of $750.00" but on being put to a vote it was voted:

Affirmative	12
Negative	46

The Moderator declared that the motion was lost.

A vote was then taken on the original motion and it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $750.00 to secure

preliminary plans and cost estimates for replacing the Central Fire Station.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate by transfer a sum of money for the purpose of securing an engineering survey with plans and a layout of house lots for veterans in West Walpole, now owned by the Town, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $4,000.00 for the purpose of securing an engineering survey with plans and a layout of house lots, for veterans, in West Walpole now owned by the Town and thereby secure a land Court Title to such lots.

On motion made and seconded, "To take up Article 1 again" it was voted in the Negative.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that this meetng be dissolved.

A true copy. Attest:

KATHERINE J. HIGGINS,
Town Clerk of Walpole

TOWN OF WALPOLE
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
STATE PRIMARY
June 18, 1946

The warrant was issued by the Selectmen under date of June 6, 1946 and was signed by Willis D. McLean, Royal A. Jones, Albert W. Smith and Clinton F. Shufelt.

The Warrant called for the election by ballot of:

Governor	**for this Commonwealth**
Lieutenant Governor	**for this Commonwealth**
Secretary	**for this Commonwealth**
Treasurer and Receiver General	**for this Commonwealth**
Auditor	**for this Commonwealth**
Attorney General	**for this Commonwealth**
Senator in Congress	**for this Commonwealth**
Representative in Congress	**for 14th Congressional District**
Councillor	**for 2nd Norfolk Councillor District**
Senator	**for 2nd Norfolk Senatorial District**
Representative	**for 8th Norfolk Representative District**
District Attorney	**for Southeastern District**
Clerk of Courts	**for Norfolk County**
Register of Deeds	**for Norfolk District**
County Commissoner	**for Norfolk County**

The property service of the Warrant was attested by Levi S. Thompson, Constable of Walpole. All the requirements relating to Primaries and Elections were complied with.

Norfolk, ss:

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, the inhabitants of Precinct 1 of the Town of Walpole, qualified to vote in State Primaries, met at the Blackburn Memorial Building, in said Walpole, at 12 o'clock Noon on the 18th day of June, 1946, and the inhabitants of Precinct 2 of said Town of Walpole, qualified to vote in State Primaries, met in the East Walpole, Fire Station, in East Walpole, and the inhabitants of Precinct 3, of said Town of Walpole, qualified to vote in State Primaries, met in the Community House, in South Walpole, on said day and hour to bring in their votes for the purposes mentioned in said Warrant.

The meeting in Precinct 1 was presided over by Chester B. Gove, Warden of said Precinct. He was assisted by the following election officers: Frank N. Spear, George H. Ryan, H. M. Watson, Peter Becker, George W. Hubbard, Chester Keenan, Walter Rockwood, Jeremiah T. Delaney, Walter Angus, Frank F. Kivlin, and George Corbett.

The meeting in Precinct 2 was presided over by William F. Geary, Warden of said Precinct. He was assisted by the following election officers: Fred J. Kinsman, George Murray, Albert Eckert, Arthur F. Platt, F. Howard White, and Richard Sprague.

The meeting in Precinct 3 was presided over by Ellis Bacon, Warden of said Precinct. He was assisted by the following officers: Richard J. Quinn, Ralph Boyden and Felix W. Fish.

After the close of the Polls at 8 P. M., when all votes had been canvassed and the results determined in accordance with the provisions of the law, declaration thereof was made in open Town Meeting in the Town Clerk's Office and was as follows:

The total Vote cast in Precinct 1 was	163
The Total Vote cast in Precinct 2 was	87
The Total Vote cast in Precinct 3 was	21
The total vote cast in the three precincts was	271

	Republican Ballots Cast	Democratic Ballots Cast	Total
Precinct 1	126	37	163
Precinct 2	56	31	87
Precinct 3	13	8	21
	195	76	271

REPUBLICAN BALLOTS CAST

	Prec. 1	2	3	Total
Governor:				
Robert F. Bradford, 106 Coolidge Hill, Cambridge	123	54	13	190
Blanks	3	2	0	5

Lieutenant Governor:				
Albert Cole, 31 Church St., Lynn	31	6	3	40
Arthur W. Coolidge, 210 Summer Ave., Reading	92	49	10	151
Blanks	3	1	0	4
Secretary:				
Frederic W. Cook, 75 Benton Rd., Somerville	120	52	13	185
Blanks	6	4	0	10
Treasurer:				
Fred J. Burrell, 41 Washington St., Medford	23	10	5	38
Laurence Curtis, 84 Beacon St., Boston	97	43	8	148
Blanks	6	3	0	9
Auditor:				
Wallace E. Stearns, 110 Gainsborough St., Boston	25	14	3	42
Russell A. Wood, 11 Whittier St., Cambridge	87	33	10	130
Blanks	14	9	0	23
Attorney General:				
Clarence A. Barnes, 79 Rumford Ave., Mansfield	121	51	13	185
Blanks	5	5	0	10
Senator in Congress:				
Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., 275 Hale St., Beverly	124	53	13	190
Blanks	2	3	0	5
Congressman: (14th District)				
Joseph William Martin, Jr., 54 Grove St., No. Attleborough	119	52	13	184
Blanks	7	4	0	11
Councillor: (Second District)				
Clayton L. Havey, 140 Church St., Boston.	111	47	12	170
Salvatore Fotino, 121 Edwards St., Quincy	11	4	1	16
Blanks	4	5	0	9
Senator: (Second Norfolk District)				
Mason Sears, 337 West St., Dedham	122	52	13	187
Blanks	4	4	0	8
Representative in General Court: (Eighth Norfolk District)				
Frank D. McCarthy, 50 North St., Medfield	116	49	12	177
Blanks	10	7	1	18

District Attorney: (Southeastern District)				
Edmund R. Dewing, 200 Grove St., Wellesley	121	52	13	186
Blanks	5	4	0	9
Clerk of Courts: (Norfolk County)				
Willard E. Everett, 811 Main St., Walpole	122	52	13	187
Blanks	4	4	0	8
Register of Deeds: (Norfolk District)				
Donald P. Crane, 56 Upland Rd., Quincy	33	16	5	54
L. Thomas Shine, 76 Westfield St., Dedham	87	34	8	129
Blanks	6	6	0	12
County Commissioner: (Norfolk County)				
Frederick A. Leavitt, 166 Tappan St., Brookline	120	53	13	186
Blanks	6	3	0	9

DEMOCRATIC BALLOTS CAST

Governor:				
Maurice J. Tobin, 30 Hopkins Rd., Boston	33	27	7	67
Francis D. Harrigan, 300 Bowdoin St., Boston	3	3	0	6
Blanks	1	1	1	3
Lieutenant Governor:				
John B. Carr, 91 Prentiss St., Somerville	1	0	1	2
Paul A. Dever, 86 Buckingham St., Cambridge	26	17	5	48
Daniel J. O'Connell, 9 Spring Park Ave., Boston	0	2	1	3
Roger L. Putnam, 216 Central St., Springfield	10	11	0	21
Blanks	0	1	1	2
Secretary:				
John J. Concannon, 473 Talbot Ave., Boston	7	7	2	16
Benedict F. Fitzgerald, Jr., 399 Broadway, Cambridge	20	13	4	37
Leo Moran, 148 Westville St., Boston	2	2	0	4
Paul H. Snow, 67 Bloomfield St., Boston	1	4	1	6
Blanks	7	5	1	13

Treasurer:				
John E. Hurley, 40 Glenrose Rd., Boston	34	28	8	70
Thomas Khoury, 9 Rollins Rd., Boston	0	0	0	0
Blanks	3	3	0	6
Auditor:				
Thomas J. Buckley, 15 Pinckney St., Boston	24	25	7	56
Blanks	13	6	1	20
Attorney General:				
Harry E. Casey, 72 Oriole St., Boston	1	0	3	4
Michael F. Hourihan, 232 Dana Ave., Boston	5	0	0	5
Edward A. Hutchinson, Jr., 238 Savin Hill Ave., Boston	2	3	1	6
Francis E. Kelly, 1184 Morton St., Boston	9	9	3	21
Joseph M. McDonough, 106 Melville Ave., Boston	17	19	0	36
Blanks	3	0	1	4
Senator in Congress:				
David I. Walsh, 35 Day St., Fitchburg	28	18	7	53
Blanks	9	13	1	23
Congressman: (Fourteenth District)				
Oscar Hebert Peterson, 5 Maple St., Easton	14	9	5	28
Martha Sharp, 25 Ingraham Rd., Wellesley	14	14	2	30
Blanks	9	8	1	18
Councillor: (Second District)				
Samuel George Thorner, 44 American Legion Highway, Boston	19	17	7	43
Blanks	18	14	1	33
Senator: (Second Norfolk District)				
R. Minturn Sedgewick, West St., Dedham	20	20	7	47
Blanks	17	11	1	29
Representative in General Court: (Eighth Norfolk District)				
Daniel D. Avery, Village St., Millis	7	3	1	11
William J. Munroe, 394 Main St., Medway	22	20	6	48
Blanks	8	8	1	17
District Attorney: (Southeastern District)				
Alfred DeQuoy, 54 Winifred Rd., Brockton)	20	16	7	43
Blanks	17	15	1	33

Clerk of Courts: (Norfolk County)				
Blanks	37	31	8	76
Register of Deeds: (Norfolk District)				
Blanks	37	31	8	76
County Commissioner: (Norfolk County)				
Blanks	37	31	8	76

A true copy. Attest:

KATHERINE J. HIGGINS,
Town Clerk of Walpole

TOWN OF WALPOLE
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
October 28, 1946

The Warrant was issued by the Selectmen under date of October 2, 1946 and was signed by Willis D. McLean, Royal A. Jones, Albert W. Smith, Clinton F. Shufelt and John H. White.

The proper service of the Warrant was attested to by Levi S. Thompson, Constable of Walpole. All requirements of the Statutes and Town By-Laws relating to Elections and Town Meetings were complied with.

In accordance with a warrant issued by the Board of Selectmen under date of October 2, 1946, a Special Town Meeting was held in the Auditorium of the High School Buildng in said Town of Walpole on Monday, October 18, 1946 at 8 P. M.

The meetng was called to order at 8 P. M. by Henry W. Caldwell, Moderator, a quorum being present.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: to waive the reading of the warrant.

The Moderator appointed James Riordan and Arthur Eames as Tellers for this meeting and they were sworn into office by the Moderator.

Article 1. To hear and act on the report of any Committee or to choose any committee the Town may think proper and transact any other busines that may legally come before the Town.

On moton made by Mr. Sherrerd, Chairman of the Appropriation Committee, and seconded, it was

Voted: that the recommendations of the Appropriation Committee as set forth in their report for the Special Town Meeting of October 28th be considered as motions except in those cases where no appropriation is recommended.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the unexpended balances in the following accounts to the Excess and Deficiency Account:

Old Post Road, Rebuilding Account	$560.11
Diamond St. Land Damages	15.00
East St. Land Damages	21.93
High St. Land Damages	173.82
Neponset St. Land Damages	334.25
North St. Land Damages	30.00
South St. Land Damages	100.84
Fuller Ave. Sewer Account	6.83
New Gas Roller Account	18.00
Surplus Federal Property Account	260.91
Total	$1,521.69

or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made by Mr. McLean, Chairman of the Selectmen, and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town transfer the unexpended balances in the following accounts to the Excess and Deficiency Account:

Old Post Road, Rebuilding Account	$560.11
Diamond St. Land Damages	15.00
East St. Land Damages	21.93
High St. Land Damages	173.82
Neponset St. Land Damages	334.25
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South St. Land Damages	100.84
Fuller Ave. Sewer Account	6.83
New Gas Roller Account	18.00
Surplus Federal Property Account	260.91
Total	$1,521.69

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate by transfer a sum of money for the Selectmen's Expense Account, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $115.00 to the Selectmen's Expense Account.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate by transfer a sum of money for the Committee appointed by the Town at a Special Town Meeting held June 11, 1945 to revise the Town Zoning By-Laws, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $550.00 for the Committee to revise the Town Zoning By-Laws.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate by transfer a sum of money for the Park Department, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

A motion was made and seconded, That the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $675.00 for the Park Department.

A substitute motion was made by Mr. McLean and seconded, That the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $975.00.

Action was taken on the substitute motion first, but one being put to a vote, it was VOTED IN THE NEGATIVE.

Action was then taken on the original motion and it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $675.00 for the Park Department.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate by transfer a sum of money for the Town Engineer's Administration Account, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $75.00 for the Town Engineer's Administration Account.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate by transfer a sum of money for the Coal and Oil Account, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $2900.00 to the Coal and Oil Account.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate by transfer a sum of money for the Highway Account, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $2500.00 for the Highway Account.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate by transfer a sum of money for the Snow and Ice Account, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $2500.00 for the Snow and Ice Account.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the unexpended balances in the following accounts to the Water Department surplus:

Kendall Street Water Extension Account	**$5.85**
May Street, Water Street Extension Account	**4.21**
Total	**$10.06**

or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made by Mr. McLean, and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town transfer the unexpended balances in the following accounts to the Water Department Surplus:

Kendall St. Water Extension Account	$5.85
May St. Water Extension Account	4.21
Total	$10.06

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate by transfer a sum of money for the Water Department, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Water Department Surplus the sum of $3600.00 to the Water Department Account.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to increase the appropriation voted at the last annual town meeting, under Article 41 of the Warrant calling said meeting, to purchase two 1½ ton dump trucks with permission to trade on 1937 Chevrolet truck and one 1941 Chevrolet truck, in exchange, raise and appropriate by transfer money therefor or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $500.00 to increase the appropriation voted at the last annual town meeting, under Article 41 of the Warrant calling said meeting, to purchase two 1½ ton dump trucks with permission to trade one 1937 Chevrolet truck and one 1941 Chevrolet truck.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to accept a report of the Board of Selectmen, acting as the Board of Survey, and accept Burns Avenue 440 feet, more or less, easterly from Pleasant Street, in accordance with a Plan entitled "Plan and Profile of Burns Avenue, Walpole, Mass., dated September 8, 1934 by Kenneth E. McIntyre, Civil Engineer and Registered Land Surveyor" or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Charles J. Donahue and others).

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town accept a report of the Board of Selectmen, acting as a Board of Survey and accept Burns Avenue 440 feet, more or less, easterly from Pleasant Street, in accordance with a Plan entitled "Plan and Profile of Burns Avenue, Walpole,

Mass. dated September 8, 1934, by Kenneth E. McIntyre, Civil Engineer and Registered Land Surveyor."

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to accept a report of the Board of Selectman acting as the Board of Survey, and accept Gleason Court in accordance with a plan entitled "Plan and Profile of Gleason Court, in Walpole, Mass. dated April 11, 1946, Kenneth E. McIntyre, Civil Engineer and Registered Land Surveyor," or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town accept a report of the Board of Selectmen, acting as a Board of Survey, and accept Gleason Court, in accordance with a plan entitled "Plan and Profile of Gleason Court, in Walpole, Mass., dated April 11, 1946, Kenneth E. McIntyre, Civil Engineer and Registered Land Surveyor."

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to install an 8" lateral sewer in Hanson Avenue and Wedgemere Court, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Charles E. Holt and others).

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town vote to install an 8" lateral sewer in Hanson Avenue and Wedgemere Court, raise and appropriate by borrowing the sum of $6100.00 therefor.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money for the purpose of installing lateral sewers in Hanson Avenue and Wedgemere Court, issue a note or notes therefor, payable within seven years, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow the sum of $6100 for the purpose of installing lateral sewers in Hanson Ave., and Wedgemere Court, issue a note or notes therefor payable within seven years, said action subject to the approval of State Director of Accounts.

Affirmative 96
Negative None

The Moderator declared that it was a vote.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to install lateral sewers in Pleasant Street, Union Street, Gould Avenue and Burns Avenue, raise and appropriate by transfer money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Arthur L. Maguire and others).

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $2500.00 to execute the necessary engineering required before construction of lateral sewers in Pleasant Street, Union Street, Gould Avenue, and Burns Avenue.

Article 18. To see if the Town will authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money for the purpose of completing the lateral sewer in School and Maple Streets, issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year or instead raise and appropriate by transfer money therefor, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $500.00 for the purpose of completing the lateral sewer in School and Maple Streets.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate by transfer a sum of money for the School Department Expense Account or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Petition of the School Committee.)

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $3500.00 for the School Department Expense Account.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 559 of the Acts of 1946, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town accept the provisions of Chapter 559 of the Acts of 1946.

Affirmative 98
Negative None

The Moderator declared that it was a vote.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell or otherwise dispose of the X-Ray machine now owned by the Town, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town authorize the Board of Selectmen to dispose of the X-ray machine now owned by the Town.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to accept a portable X-Ray machine from the Walpole Rotary Club, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that the Town accept with thanks and appreciation a portable X-ray machine from the Walpole Rotary Club.

A motion was made by Roger Turner, and seconded, That we take up Article 5 again, but on being put to a vote, THE MODERATOR DECLARED THAT IT WAS NOT A VOTE.

On motion made and seconded, it was

Voted: that this meeting be dissolved.

A true copy. Attest:

KATHERINE J. HIGGINS,
Town Clerk of Walpole

TOWN OF WALPOLE
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
STATE ELECTION
November 5, 1946

Norfolk, ss:

The warrant was issued by the Selectmen under date of October 23, 1946 and was signed by Willis D. McLean, Royal A. Jones, Albert W. Smith, Clinton F. Shufelt and John H. White.

The Warrant called for the election by ballot of the following officers and questions, to wit:

Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney-General, Senator in Congress, all for this Commonwealth; Representatives in Congress for the 14th District; Councillor for the 2nd District; Senator for 2nd Norfolk District; Representative in General Court for 8th Norfolk Representative District; District Attorney for the Southeastern District; Clerk of Courts for Norfolk County; Register of Deeds for Norfolk District; County Commissioner for Norfolk County and to vote on the following questions:

QUESTION No. 1

Law Proposed by Initiative Petition

AN ACT REPEALING THE OLD AGE ASSISTANCE LAW AND SUBSTITUTING THEREFOR AN OLD AGE PENSION TO BE ADMINISTERED BY THE COMMONWEALTH IN CONFORMITY WITH THE LAW, RULES AND REGULATIONS PROMULGATED THEREUNDER OF THE FEDERAL SOCIAL SECURITY ACT SO AS TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR FINANCING IN PART BY FEDERAL FUNDS.

Shall this measure, which by amendments of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.), provides for payment by the Commonwealth of adequate pensions to deserving citizens sixty-five years of age or over in need of relief or comfort, who shall have resided in the Commonwealth not less than five years immediately preceding the date of application for such pension, and who shall have resided in the Commonwealth continuously for one year immediately preceding date of application which is further described as follows:

The measure, by amendments of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), c. 6, provides for an old age pension commission of three persons, one to be a qualified physician, another to be an attorney at law and a third to be a non-professional person, who are to be appointed and may be removed for cause by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Council, and are to serve under the Governor and Council. Not more than two members of said Commission shall be members of the same political party. Original appointments of members shall be for one, two and three years respectively, and thereafter appointments are to be for three

years. Such members are to devote their whole time to the work of the Commission during business hours and be engaged in no other business, occupation or profession. One of their number is to be designated as chairman by the Governor and shall receive a salary of $6,000, and each other member $5,500 per year, with their necessary expenses. The Commission is empowered to make and enforce rules and regulations as it may deem necessary in the performance of its duties and as may be approved by the Governor and Council.

The measure strikes out chapter 118A of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.) and inserts in its place a new chapter entitled "Adequate pensions for certain aged citizens."

It is provided that pensions hereunder shall be paid from the date of application therefor, but in no event before the applicant reaches the age of sixty-five. The Commission shall render a decision in not less than thirty days from the date of application for a pension or a request for an increase in the amount thereof. Such pension shall, wherever practicable, be paid to the aged person in his home or lodgings or in a boarding home, which for the purposes hereof shall include any institution providing shelter, care and treatment for aged persons which is not supported in whole or in part by public funds; provided, that no inmate of such boarding home or institution shall be eligible for a pension under this chapter while being cared for under a contract. Such pension shall be paid by check or in cash which shall be delivered to the pensioner at his residence, if he so requests, and shall be paid semi-monthly unless the pensioner prefers less frequent payments. Such pension shall be on the basis of need and the amount thereof shall be determined in accordance with budgetary standards established by the Commission. Budgetary standards shall be such as to enable an individual pensioner to maintain a standard of living compatible with decency and health. Such pensions, except as hereinafter provided, shall be at the rate of not less than $48.00 monthly. The pensioner's budget at such times as may be required shall include medical care, if recommended by a recognized physician, eye-glasses, if recommended by a recognized optician, dental care and false teeth, if recommended by a recognized dentist.

In computing the pensioner's payment under this chapter, the Commission shall deduct from the pensioner's budget or the minimum payment, whichever is greater, the amount of the income the person paid or to be paid a pension hereunder may be receiving from any source, and may deduct therefrom such reasonable amount as may be deemed to represent the financial value of board, lodging or other assistance which is being furnished to such persons from any source.

Upon the death of a person drawing a pension, whose funeral

cost does not exceed the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars and in whose estate there are insufficient assets to cover the full cost of the funeral, the Commission shall pay to the funeral director the difference between the assets and the cost of the funeral, a sum not exceeding one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

Expenses for medical, hospital and other services rendered to a pensioner, which remain unpaid at the time of his death or commitment to an institution as an insane person, shall be paid directly to the person rendering such services.

No pension under this chapter shall be discontinued nor shall the amount thereof be decreased until the expiration of fifteen days after notice has been given by the Commission to the pensioner.

Provision is made by which a person receiving a pension may be absent from the Commonwealth on a visit without having such pension suspended.

It is provided that General Laws (Ter. Ed.) Chap. 273, Par. 20, which relates to the support of parents by children, shall not apply when parents are eligible to receive a pension.

Provision is made that there shall be set up in the Commission a subdivision of appeals under the jurisdiction of a supervisor of appeals. Any person aggrieved by the failure of the Commission to pay an adequate pension under this chapter, or by the failure of the Commission to approve or reject an application for a pension or a request for an increase in the amount thereof, within thirty days after receiving such application or request, shall have a right to a fair hearing, after due notice, upon appeal to the subdivision of appeals in the form and manner prescribed by the commission provided that such appeal is received by the subdivision of appeals within sixty days after the official notice of the action taken by the Old Age Pension Commission has been received by the applicant or pensioner. The decision of the subdivision of appeals shall be final and binding upon the Commission.

The Commission or any interested person aggrieved by any decision in any proceeding before the subdivision of appeals may obtain judicial review of such decision by filing, within twenty days of the date of mailing of such decision, a petition for review thereof in the district court within the judicial district wherein the pensioner or the applicant for a pension lives.

In any proceeding for review the findings of the subdivision of appeals as to facts shall be conclusive, such proceedings shall be heard in a summary manner and given precedence over all other civil cases. From the decision of a district court upon review an appeal may be taken to the Supreme Judicial Court.

The possession by an applicant for pension under this chapter of assets consisting of cash, active securities or inactive securities, or any combination of such assets, shall not disqualify him

from receiving such pension; provided, that the total of such assets, figuring the present cash value of such inactive securities at the sum determined by the Old Age Pension Commission, does not exceed the sum of $300.

A person is not to be disqualified from receiving a pension because of the ownership in an equity in vacant land from which there is insufficient income to provide for his budgetary needs or minimum payments, or the ownership of an equity in real estate by an applicant who resides thereon or who, in the opinion of the Commission is residing elsewhere because of physical or mental incapacity, provided that if such equity on the basis of assessed valuation exceeds an average of $3,000 during the five years immediately preceding application for the pension, the applicant shall execute a bond in the penal sum for the amount of the equity in excess of $3,000 conditioned on repayment to the Commonwealth of all amounts paid as such pension without interest, such bond to be secured by a mortgage on the applicant's real estate. Provision is made for the recording of such bond and mortgage without fee and the apportionment of the proceeds realized from any of them between the Federal government and the Commonwealth.

A person is not to be disqualified from receiving a pension by reason of the ownership of a policy of group insurance or of a policy of insurance in an amount not exceeding $1,000 or of a policy of insurance in an amount not exceeding $3,000, having a cash surrender value not in excess of $1,000, if such policy has been in effect not less than fifteen years.

No pension shall be granted to an applicant who at any time within five years immediately prior to the filing of an application for such pension has made an assignment or transfer of property so as to render himself eligible to such pension. No pension shall be subject to trustee process or assignment, and no applicant for a pension, who knowingly makes any false statement or perpetrates any fraud or deception in relation to his application, shall be granted any pension nor be eligible for one during one year thereafter. A person, his executor or administrator, shall be liable in contract to the Commonwealth for expenses incurred by it for a pension paid to such person under this chapter if such person or his estate is in possession of funds not otherwise exempted thereunder.

If an application for a pension under this chapter is effected by the eligibility of the applicant to receive aid under General Laws (Ter. Ed.) Chap. 115, which relates to State and Military Aid and Soldiers' Relief, the applicant shall be entitled to exercise such options and execute such waivers as may be necessary to receive the pension which he seeks.

All cities and towns in the Commonwealth shall furnish suit-

able headquarters for the carrying out of the duties of the commission in such cities and towns.

The measure further provides that there shall be established and set up on the books of the Commonwealth a separate fund, to be known as the Old Age Pension Fund, consisting of receipts credited to said fund under General Laws (Ter. Ed.) Chap. 64B, G. L. (Ter. Ed.) Chap. 128A, Par. 15, as amended, G. L. (Ter. Ed.) Chap. 138, Par. 27, as amended, and all proceeds of taxes assessed under Acts of 1941, Chap. 729, Paragraphs 9 and 9A.

The Old Age Assistance Fund as in force immediately prior to the effective date of this act is hereby continued in existence, but shall hereafter be entitled "The Old Age Pension Fund."

It is provided that all civil service employees in the Department of Public Welfare of the Commonwealth, including the supervisors, referees and employees in the subdivision of appeals in said department or of any city or town, employed in the administration of the Old Age Assistance Law on the effective date of this proposed measure, shall be transferred to the service of the Old Age Pension Commission, retaining their present civil service seniority retirement rights and any step increases from the minimum pay of their grade earned during their service with said department or said bureau.

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It is provided that all records and property used in the administration of the Old Age Assistance Law and which are the property of the Commonwealth are to be transferred to the Old Age Pension Commission.

This Act shall take effect on March First, Nineteen Hundred and Forty Seven—which proposed law was approved in the House of Representatives by vote of 125 in the affirmative and 79 in the negative, and on which the Senate did not vote,—be approved?

YES	
NO	

Question No. 2

Law Proposed by Initiative Petition.

Shall this measure which provides that no labor union may be operated or maintained unless there is filed with the Commissioner of Labor and Industries a statement signed by the President and Treasurer setting forth the union's officers, aims, scale of dues, fees, fines, assessments and salaries of the officers.

The President and Treasurer of a labor union is required to file annually with the Commissioner of Labor and Industries a detailed statement in writing setting forth all receipts and expenditures of the union which shall be open to the public, and the said Commissioner is given the power to summons witnesses and records; and there is a penalty of not less than $50.00 nor more

than $500.00 for whoever fails to file a statement or whoever knowingly makes a false statement.

which was disapproved in the House of Representatives by a vote of 50 in the affirmative and 154 in the negative and in the Senate by a vote of 6 in the affirmative and 24 in the negative, be approved?

YES	
NO	

To obtain a full expression of opinion, voters should vote on all three of the following questions:—

(a) If a voter desires to permit the sale in this town of any and all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold, he will vote "YES" on all three questions.

(b) If he desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages only to be drunk on and off the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on question one and "YES" on question two and "NO" on question three.

(c) If he desires to permit the sale herein of all alcoholic beverages but only in packages, so-called, not to be drunk on the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on questions one and two and "YES" on question three.

(d) If he desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold and in addition other alcoholic beverages but only in packages, so-called, not to be drunk on the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on question one and "YES" on questions two and three.

(e) If he desires to prohibit the sale herein of any and all alcoholic beverages whether to be drunk on or off the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on all three questions.

1. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale herein of all alcoholic beverages (whiskey, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages?

YES	
NO	

2. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wine and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

YES	
NO	

3. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so-called, not to be drunk on the premises?

YES	
NO	

1. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed horse races be permitted in this country?

YES	
NO	

2. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed dog races be permitted in this country?

YES	
NO	

Shall the General Court enact legislation requiring jury service by women, with such reservations as it may describe?

YES	
NO	

Shall the Senator in the General Court from this District be instructed to vote to request the President and the Congress of the United States to direct our delegates to the United Nations to propose or support Amendments to, its Charter which will strengthen the United Nations and make it a World Federal Government able to prevent War?

YES	
NO	

The polls will open at 8:00 A. M. and will close at 8:00 P. M.

The proper service of the Warrant was attested to by Levi S. Thompson, Constable of Walpole. All requirements of the Statutes and Town By-Laws relating to Elections were complied with. Norfolk, ss:

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, the Inhabitants of the Town of Walpóle, in Precinct 1, qualified to vote in elections, met in the Blackburn Memorial Building, in said Walpole, at eight o'clock in the forenoon on Tuesday, November 5, 1946, and the Inhabitants of Precinct 2, of said Town of Walpole, qualified to vote in elections, met in the Fire Station, in East Walpole, in said Walpole, on the same date and hour, and the Inhabitants of Precinct 3, of said Town of Walpole, qualified to vote in elections, met in the Community House, South Walpole, in said Walpole, on the same date and hour, to bring in their votes for the purposes mentioned in said warrant.

The meeting in Precinct 1 was in charge of Chester B. Gove, Warden of said Precinct 1 and he was assisted by the following elections officers: George H. Ryan, Frank N. Spear, H. M. Watson, Peter Becker, George W. Hubbard, Chester E. Keenan, Walter C. Rockwood, Walter Angus, George W. Corbett, Daniel L. Giandomenico, William E. Smith, Charles R. Peters, Vincent Fitzpatrick, Bruce B. Farrar, P. Bernard Spillane, Frank F. Kivlin, Arthur B. Dimmitt, Arthur W. Mellin and Arthur L. Smith

The meeting in Precinct 2 was in charge of William F. Geary, Warden of said Precinct. He was assisted by the following election officers: Frederick J. Kinsman, George Murray, Albert Eckert, William F. Murphy, Arthur F. Platt, F. Howard White, Richard Sprague, Harold Wickham and Raymond F. White.

The meeting in Precinct 3 was in charge of Ellis Bacon, Warden of said Precinct, and he was assisted by the following election officers: Richard J. Quinn, Ralph E. Boyden and Francis Donovan.

The meetings in each precinct were conducted in accordance with the law and after the close of the polls at 8:00 o'clock P. M., when all votes had been canvassed and the results determined in accordance with the statute, declaration thereof was made in the Town Clerk's office and was as follows:

The total number of votes cast in Precinct 1 was	2038
The total number of votes cast in Precinct 2 was	861
The total number of votes cast in Precinct 3 was	232
The total number of votes cast in all Precincts was	3131

The results were as follows:

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Total
Governor:				
Robert F. Bradford of Cambridge	1299	494	156	1949
Maurice J. Tobin of Boston	695	351	74	1120
Horace I. Hillis of Saugus	17	4	0	21
Guy S. Williams of Worcester	1	1	0	2
Blanks	26	11	2	39
				3131
Lieutenant Governor:				
Arthur W. Coolidge of Reading	1249	468	161	1878
Paul A. Dever of Cambridge	734	367	67	1168
Alfred Erickson of Quincy	4	1	0	5
Francis A. Votano of Lynn	16	6	0	22
Blanks	35	19	4	58
				3131
Secretary:				
Frederic W. Cook of Somerville	1381	533	172	2086
Benedict F. Fitzgerald, Jr. of Cambridge	589	300	51	940
Malcolm T. Rowe of Lynn	15	8	1	24
Blanks	53	20	8	81
				3131
Treasurer:				
Laurence Curtis of Boston	1288	487	157	1932
John E. Hurley of Boston	682	345	66	1093
Lawrence Gilfedder of Boston	14	5	1	20
Charles E. Vaughn of Boston	2	1	0	3
Blanks	52	23	8	83
				3131

Auditor:				
Thomas J. Buckley of Boston	743	379	75	1197
Russell A. Wood of Cambridge	1211	442	145	1798
Pearl J. McGlynn of Springfield	20	5	1	26
Robert A. Simmons of Boston	1	2	1	4
Blanks	63	33	10	106
				3131
Attorney General:				
Clarence A. Barnes of Mansfield	1320	513	165	1998
Francis E. Kelly of Boston	639	313	59	1011
William F. Oro of Boston	17	7	0	24
William B. Rand of Haverhill	7	2	1	9
Blanks	56	26	7	89
				3131
Senator in Congress:				
Henry Cabot Lodge Jr., Beverly	1340	511	168	2019
David I. Walsh of Fitchburg	652	327	58	1037
Henning A. Blomen of Boston	16	7	0	23
Mark R. Shaw of Melrose	1	1	0	2
Blanks	29	15	6	50
				3131
Congressman: **(Fourteenth District)**				
Joseph William Martin, Jr. of North Attleboro	1337	544	164	2045
Martha Sharp of Wellesley	649	286	60	995
Blanks	52	31	8	91
				3131
Councillor: **(Second District)**				
Clayton L. Havey of Boston	1320	498	165	1983
Samuel G. Thorner of Boston	612	304	48	964
Blanks	106	59	19	184
				3131
Senator: **(Second Norfolk District)**				
Mason Sears of Dedham	1344	521	166	2031
R. Minturn Sedgwick of Dedham	596	292	47	935
Blanks	98	48	19	165
				3131

Representative in General Court:
(Eighth Norfolk District)

Frank D. McCarthy of Medfield	1360	534	166	2060
William J. Munroe of Medway	590	286	53	929
Blanks	88	41	13	142
				3131

District Attorney:
(Southeastern District)

Alfred DeQuoy of Brockton	568	275	49	892
Edmund R. Dewing of Wellesley	1377	544	164	2085
Blanks	93	42	19	154
				3131

CLERK OF COURTS:
(Norfolk County)

Willard E. Everett of Walpole	1735	698	195	2628
Blanks	303	163	37	503
				3131

REGISTER OF DEEDS:
(Norfolk District)

Thomas Shine of Dedham	1641	663	184	2488
Blanks	397	198	48	643
				3131

COUNTY COMMISSIONER:
(Norfolk County)

Frederick A. Leavitt of Brookline	1639	650	185	2474
Blanks	399	211	47	657
				3131

Question No. 1

(Law Proposed by Initiative Petition)

(O. A. Pensions—See Warrant)

Yes	649	280	181	1016
No	768	258	76	1102
Blanks	621	317	75	1013
				3131

Question No. 2
(Law Proposed by Initiative Petition)
(Labor Unions—See Warrant)

Yes	1073	420	139	1632
No	404	160	32	596
Blanks	561	281	61	903
				3131

Question No. 1 (Liquor Question)

1. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all alcoholic beverages?

Yes	1272	483	144	1899
No	517	231	62	810
Blanks	249	147	26	422
				3131

Question No. 2 (Liquor Question)

2. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages?

Yes	1271	468	141	1880
No	435	218	55	708
Blanks	332	175	36	543
				3131

Question No. 3 (Liquor Question)

3. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so-called, not to be drunk on the premises?

Yes	1372	550	151	2073
No	329	152	46	527
Blanks	337	159	35	531
				3131

Question (Horse Racing)

1. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed horse races be permitted in this county?

Yes	1027	416	127	1570
No	729	298	70	1097
Blanks	282	147	35	464
				3131

Question (Dog Racing)

2. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed dog races be permitted in this county?

Yes	901	350	123	1374
No	732	290	61	1083
Blanks	405	221	48	674
				3131

"Shall the General Court enact legislation requiring jury service by women, with such reservations as it may prescribe?"

Yes	1129	454	125	1708
No	437	174	47	658
Blanks	472	233	60	765
				3131

"Shall the Senator in the General Court from this District be instructed to vote to request the President and the Congress of the United States to direct our Delegates to the United Nations to propose or support Amendments to its Charter which will strengthen the United Nations and make it a World Federal Government able to prevent War?"

Yes	1441	552	158	2151
No	127	25	12	164
Blanks	470	284	62	816
				3131

A true copy. Attest:

KATHERINE J. HIGGINS,
Town Clerk of Walpole

TOWN OF WALPOLE
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
STATE ELECTION
November 5, 1946
ABSENTEE BALLOTS CAST

	War Ballots	Civilian	Total	Rejected
Prec. 1	1	19	20	3
Prec. 2		8	8	0
Prec. 3		1	1	0
	1	28	29	3 *

* Civilian (3)

Attest:

KATHERINE J. HIGGINS,
Town Clerk of Walpole

RECOUNT OF VOTES
TOWN OF WALPOLE
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
December 6, 1946

Norfolk ss:

TO WHOM THIS MAY CONCERN:

We, the undersigned, Registrars of Voters of the Town of Walpole, hereby certify that the following is an Amended Return of the Votes given for the offices of Lieutenant Governor and Auditor of the Commonwealth in the Town of Walpole at the STATE ELECTION held on the 5th day of November, 1946, as determined by a recount held on DECEMBER 6, 1946, said recount having been held in accordance with notice from the Secretary of the Commonwealth and under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 54, Section 135.

Lieutenant Governor:

Name	No. of Ballots
Arthur W. Coolidge of Reading (Republican)	1876
Paul A. Dever of Cambridge (Democratic)	1169
Alfred Erickson of Quincy (Prohibition)	5
Francis A. Votano of Lynn (Socialist Labor Party)	22
Blanks	59
Total Number of Ballots	3131

Auditor of the Commonwealth:

Name	No. of Ballots
Thomas J. Buckley of Boston (Democratic)	1198
Russell A. Wood of Cambridge (Republican)	1794
Pearl J. McGlynn of Springfield (Socialist Labor)	26
Robert A. Simmons of Boston (Prohibition)	4
Blanks	109
Total Number of Ballots	3131

J. MERRICK GRAY,
FRANK F. KIVLIN,
PATRICK F. CULLEN,
Registrars of Voters, Town of Walpole

A true copy. Attest:

KATHERINE J. HIGGINS,
Town Clerk of Walpole

In appreciation of their unselfish and patriotic service to community, state and nation during the country's war emergency, this

CERTIFICATE OF MERIT

is awarded to

The Officers and Enlisted Men of

21st Company, 25th Infantry

Massachusetts State Guard

Wm. H. Harrison Jr.
Brigadier General
The Adjutant General

Maurice J. Tobin
Governor and Commander-in-Chief

Date Nov. 1, 1946

In appreciation of their unselfish and patriotic service to community, state and nation during the country's war emergency, this

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